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WANTED AMERICANS, NO GERMANS GOT BACK

[By Associated Press.]

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, Wednesday, May 29—The purpose of the German attack today against the American positions near Bremenil, east of Luneville, was to capture Americans. The determined American resistance, however, repulsed the enemy with heavy losses, and no Americans were taken prisoner.

FATAL TO GERMANS

The Germans attacked at three points, and at one place a group of 14 got into the American trenches It never went back. Nine of the 14 Germans were killed, four are prisoners, and one is dead of wounds

The prisoners reported that they were ordered to capture Americans at any cost, their superiors being anxious to determine where American troops are stationed and their present fighting strength

FIFTY ADVANCED.

At a point west of Bremenil, after a heavy barrage, 50 German soldiers attempted to reach the American line They were in three groups and the two larger ones were held up and then dispersed by the American machine gun and rifle fire. The third group, consisting of 14 men, managed by reason of terrain conditions, to reach the American trenches and jump into them.

FARMER LEADER.

Under the leadership of a lanky youth, who was a farmer before he enlisted, a group of Americans gave the Germans a hot reception. Bayonets on the end of American rifles flashed white and then red almost as quickly as it takes to tell it, and the enemy party was soon overpowered.

GOT GERMAN.

During the engagement a big German non-commissioned officer, who directed the enemy party, stood on a parapet. He raised his arm to hurl a grenade at an American soldier, but he never threw it Another American, who had come through a severe gas attack last Monday moning, reached the German with his bayonet. The grenade fell from the dying German's hand and exploded harmlessly on the parapet.

Foe Again Repulsed

[By Associated Press]

WITH THE BRITISH ARMY IN FRANCE, May 30.—Another strong enemy counter attack against the American troops in the Cantigny sector, west of Montdidier, seems to have met with a complete repulse, according to a brief report from the south.

The Americans evidently have been subjected to almost continuous attacks since they stormed their way into Cantigny. In every case the enemy's waves have been broken against the stone wall resistance of the Americans.

HEAVIEST

This latest German assault appears to have been the heaviest the Teutons have yet essayed in their attempt to evict the overseas men from the village of Cantigny.

NO HOLY DAYS FOR GERMANS

Get Promise From British But Violate It Themselves.

Paris, May 30.—Although the British government has promised not to carry out air raids today—the Feast of Corpus Christi—on German cities which are not in the vicinity of the front, the German long range gun resumed the bombardment of Paris this morning. The firing began at an earlier hour than usual

THROUGH VATICAN.

The British promise was given upon the receipt through the Vatican of a request recently made by Cardinal von Hartmann, the archbishop of Cologne, that there should be no bombing in Cologne during the time of the Corpus Christi procession in that city, which recently had been seriously damaged by British air raids.

AIRPLANE FALLS AT PARIS.

Paris, May 30.—An enemy airplane was brought down by French anti-aircraft guns during at attempted raid on Paris last night. None of the German machines was able to fly over the city A few bombs were dropped in the suburbs

BRITISH SHIP SUNK; 101 PERISH

London, May 30—The transport ship, Leasowe Castle has been sunk by an enemy submarine the British admiralty announced last night. One hundred and one persons were drowned

The Leasowe Castle was built in 1917 at Birkenhead and was owned by the Union Castle Mail Steamship Co. of London

The text of the British admiralty statement reads:

"The transport Leasowe Castle was torpedoed and sunk by an enemy submarine May 26 in the Mediterranean.

"Thirteen military officers and 79 of other rank and of the ship's company the captain, two wireless operators and six of other ratings are missing. It is presumed all were drowned."

FLYING INSTRUCTOR DIES OF INJURIES

Fort Worth, Tex., May 30.—Lieut P. G. Mihleder, instructor at Taliaferro field, died this morning from injuries received Wednesday afternoon when his machine crashed to the earth. Lieutenant Buckus, who was with him at the time, escaped with a few scratches.

GUARD JACKIES FROM DISLOYALISTS

Chicago, May 30.—Police sharpshooters today accompanied the Great Lakes naval training station "fleet" on its trip about the city. Yesterday eggs were thrown at the floats from the window of a big building. The "fleet" consists of representatives of a battleship, a destroyer and a U-boat and its mission is recruiting

Dead And Wounded

Washington, May 30—The army casualty list today contained 35 names, divided as follows

Killed in action 5, died of wounds 1, died of accident 4, of disease 11; wounded severely 9; wounded slightly 2; missing in action 3.

Officers named were Lieut George Squires, St Paul, Minn, died of accident Lieut Edward A. Koenne, Rochester, N. Y, missing in action. Lieut. James F. Crowford, Warsaw, N Y, prisoner, previously reported missing

KILLED IN ACTION.

Sergeant William H Cartland, Wakefield, Mass

Corporal Raymond D. Miller, Battle Creek, Mich.

Privates

Fleming McG Foressman, Bardolph, Ill

Clark G Miller, Bovina Center, N Y

J. B West, Minnekaha, Okla.

DIED OF ACCIDENT

Privates

Johnnie Jackson, Lamar, Miss

Wallis Washington New Orleans.

Ralph P. Wells, Woodstock, Ill

DIED OF DISEASE.

Sergeant P N Hebb, Lakeland, Fla.

Corporal Earl J. Douglass, Clinton, Mo

Privates

Dave Anderson, Plaquamine, La.

Clay Berlin New York

Andrew H Cowan, Belmont, Mich.

Wesley J Evans Dallas, Tex

Robert Harvey, Rustburg, Va

Victor E Johnson, Weyerhauser, Wis

Richard Murray, Round, S. C

Lester N Nelson, Mankato, Minn

William Thromer, Eagle Mills Ark

DIED OF WOUNDS.

Private Charlie Beter, Alexandria, Egypt

SEVERELY WOUNDED.

Privates

Henry Gilson, Philadelphia

William Guest, Scottdale, Pa.

George F Haily, Roxbury, Mass.

Abraham Knibers, Roxbury, Mass.

Harry F McCann, Dover, N. H.

Edward C Nagle, Cambridge, Mass.

William H Nelson, Oxford, Wis.

George F. Richardson, Jr, Manchester, N. H

Byron W. Van Ness, Minneapolis.

MISSING IN ACTION.

Corporal George N Williams, Henderson, Ky.

Private Joseph H Brown, West Newbrighton, N. Y.

Private Harry I Cook, East Hampton, Conn., previously reported missing, now reported slightly wounded.

I. C. PRESIDENT IN NEW R. R. POSITION

New York, May 30—Charles H. Markham resigned yesterday as president and director of the Illinois Central railroad. C. A. Peabody was elected president but the vacancy on the board of directors was not filled.

Mr. Peabody, is a New York lawyer and president of the Mutual Life Insurance company.

Mr. Markham resigned to become regional director of railroads in the Allegheny district, it was announced at the company's office. He had previously been regional director of the southeastern district.

MRS. VANDERBILT TO WED MINT DIRECTOR

Washington, May 30.—Mrs. Alfred Gwynn Vanderbilt and Ray T. Baker, director of the mint, will be married at Mrs. Vanderbilt's country place at Lennox, Mass., early in June. Announcement was made today by Mrs. Vanderbilt's father, Captain Isaac E. Emerson of Baltimore.

Official Bulletins

FRENCH.

Paris, May 30.—The official war statement follows:

"The battle continued with undiminished violence during the night. French troops energetically maintained the western outlets of Soissons, and the enemy, notwithstanding repeated efforts, was not able to debouch from the town.

"Further south engagements of extreme violence developed in the region of the road between Soissons and Partennes, and on the front between Fere-En-Tardenois and Vezilly, where French troops, supported by reserves, are opposing the German advance with indomitable tenacity.

"On the right Franco-British troops along the front between Brouillet and Thillois and also northwest of Rheims broke all assaults and maintained their positions."

AMERICAN.

Washington, May 30.—The second section of General Pershing's communique for May 29 announces the failure of the enemy to break through the American lines A raiding party of about 50 men, it says, was repulsed with a loss of ten dead and four wounded. American casualties were light.

On May 27, the communique said, Lieutenants Fisher, Curtis, Buford and McLanahan, on patrol duty in the St. Mihiel region, encountered enemy machines at 4,000 metres. One of these was downed.

Defeat of an enemy airplane reported in the communique for May 28 is credited to Lieutenant Rickenbacher and Lieutenant Hambleton, and not to Lieutenant Rickenbacher and Campbell as previously reported.

BRITISH.

London, May 30—The official war statement follows.

"During the night the enemy attacked the strong point known as "Route-A-Keep," northwest of Festubert, and was completely repulsed. We carried out a successful minor operation in the neighborhood of Merris and improved our line slightly. We captured a few prisoners and a machine gun in these encounters

"A party of our troops raided the enemy's trenches last night near Locon and brought back a few prisoners

"The hostile artillery has been active east of Villers-Bretonneux, and in the Hinges and Robecq sectors"

GERMAN PLOT TO CUT OIL SUPPLY

Washington, May 30—New reports of a German plot to destroy the Tampico oil field, from which the American and British navies secure most of the supplies, has reached the state department.

They said an attempt to destroy the wells is to be made.

Many reports of a similar nature have reached Washington. Officials here are depending on the Mexican authorities to protect the wells, as a large part of the Mexican government's revenues are derived from oil taxes

CONVICT GRACE LUSK OF MURDER

Waukesha Teacher Faces Long Prison Term.

Waukesha, Wis, May 30. — When Grace Lusk, convicted of murder in the second degree last night, awoke today from a sleep induced by opiates, she moaned "I don't want to live! I don't want to live!"

FACES LONG PRISON TERM.

The conviction, which was for the killing of Mary Newman Roberts last June carries a sentence of from fourteen to twenty-five years' imprisonment.

Owing to the prisoner's condition, however, Judge Luck intimated that he would not pronounce sentence until Miss Lusk is more composed.

GRAPPLES WITH PROSECUTOR.

When the jury made its fateful report last night after ten ballots the defendent dropped sobbing like a tired child into the arms of her aged father. Then, with a curiously deliberate movement, which almost immediately gave way to hysteria, she leaped for Attorney D. S. Tullar and gripped his throat with both hands.

Tullar's son is District Attorney Maurice Tullar, who compelled by illness to withdraw from the case and appointed his father to take his place. The younger Tullar, however, testified as a witness that Miss Lusk, four days after the tragedy, told him that she realized what she had done, but could not understand how she did it so calmly and deliberately.

"This man's son lied my life away," she cried. Bailiffs wrenched her away from the startled lawyer and she was taken, struggling and moaning back to her cell.

ALLIED RESERVES ARRIVE; VITAL POSITIONS HELD

Germans Take Soissons and Reach Far to the South—Marne Is Object—Both Flanks of Allies Firm.

Fighting south of the river Vesle and on both wings, Soissons to the left and Rheims to the right, grows in intensity, but with Allied reserves coming up, the same feeling of confidence in Allied centers, and a growing positiveness that the German advance will be stopped before vital Allied positions or communications are taken.

It is declared that the withdrawals made are to avoid great loss of life, that no great vital losses in material or men has been sustained, and that vital positions are being held.

Soissons has been given up, but defenses in the west edge of the city are held, retreats have been made towards Rheims, and it may be given up. In the center an advance of eighteen miles has been made by the Germans since Monday.

It is believed that the immediate object of the German advance is to reach the Marne, south of the center at the point of greatest advance, and thus cut east and west communications in France. It is to defeat this purpose that Allied reserves are being massed.

Fighting Gains Violence Enemy Purposes Seen

Paris, May 30—Increasing violence marks the progress of the fighting south of the Aisne. The Germans are fighting against time and are throwing every ounce of weight of man power into the struggle.

LESS GERMAN SUCCESS

On the center the enemy has again pushed forward, but his efforts to broaden his advancing front have met with less success. The Allied wings have been obliged to give some ground. This action was carried out slowly and the full price was exacted from the enemy.

Soissons has gone and the British have fallen back toward Rheims, but in either case the enemy has only won two miles of territory.

CONFIDENCE.

In competent circles there is quite confidence in the outcome, and signs are not lacking that the advancing waves shortly will be stemmed. Unity of command puts the Allies in a better position than they were in the March offensive. On that occasion French reinforcements came into action on the third day and on the eighth the Germans were stopped definitely. Today things should go more quickly.

GUNS LEFT BEHIND.

The Germans have been obliged to leave their guns on the northern side of the original line, which can be crossed only at a certain number of points which are highly vulnerable to Allied airplanes

The enemy is thus prevented from reaping the full benefits of his rapid advance.

RESERVES MASSING.

Meanwhile the Allied reserves are massing at certain points without any of the confusion that attended the similar movement in March. So well perfected are the arrangements that an entire division can be moved by motor truck from the Somme to Rheims in 48 hours and arrive without a button missing.

ENEMY'S PURPOSE.

As the battle proceeds the enemy's purpose becomes plain It is twofold.

First of all, 18 miles south of the Vesle flows the Marne, which forms with the Oise one of the great avenues of approach to Paris. Along its course runs the Chalons railroad, the main eastern artery. To gain a footing in the Marne valley, or even to approach within artillery range of it, would be an appreciable result. That is sufficient to show why the Germans continue to push southward so vigorously.

Their advance there yesterday, however, amounted to only 3½ miles, as against 5½ on the first day of the attack and seven on the second. This indicates the growing forces of the opposition which the enemy is encountering.

TO APPROACH PARIS.

The second objective, which the German staff considers even more important, judging by the efforts made at Soissons, is to broaden the salient to the westward. By enlarging the action there the German crown prince intends to approach nearer to Paris on the direct route.

The French command is fully aware of the importance of this movement. Although Soissons was evacuated to prevent needless sacrifice of men, the French hold all the roads leading out of the town.

FIGHTING AHEAD.

Heavy fighting still lies ahead for the Allies, but those most competent to express an opinion are now satisfied that the German drive will be stopped in the near future.

HEALTH CONDITIONS GOOD IN CAMPS

Washington, May 30. — General health conditions throughout home camps continue to be very good, the surgeon general of the army stated today in his health report for the week ending May 24. Pneumonia prevails extensively at Camps Travis, Texas, Dodge, Iowa, and Gordon, Georgia, with measles generally prevalent at all cantonments.

Deaths decreased from 178 last week to 161 this week.

ALMOST GOT CLEMENCEAU

Germans Enter French Town Just as Premier Left.

Paris, May 30—Premier Clemenceau had the narrowest possible escape from falling into German hands yesterday, according to the Petit Journal He left a certain point on the front only a few minutes before the arrival of a patrol of forty Uhlans.

When the Germans entered the little town the premier had just quit, they cornered a few of the French, who had remained, including a general, who was examining positions with a field glass, the newspaper adds. The general was killed in the encounter.

Soon Stop Advance

Paris, May 30.—The German flood will soon be dammed, says a semi-official note issued today summarizing the situation between Rheims and Soissons.

The note says.

"The Germans again progressed yesterday, but while on one hand they failed to pierce our lines, on the other it is comforting to observe that their march was slackened considerably by the arrival of our reserves

"As these come into play the balance will gradually be restored and soon the German flood will be dammed

"The French command retains undiminished confidence based, as it is, on the power of our resources and the incomparable valor of our soldiers"

The Germans made repeated attempts to break through the defense in the Soissons region, but were each time held up by the determined French resistance In the center of the German advance fighting is taking place in the neighborhood of Vezilly (approximately 18 miles south of the Chemin-Des-Dames, where the German attack was launched on Monday).

252 HUN PLANES DOWNED IN WEEK

Washington, May 30—Two hundred and fifty-two German airplanes were brought down on the western front by Allied aviators during the week ending May 23, according to advices received by the British military mission.

STATE SUFFRAGISTS ASKING FOR FUNDS

Chicago, May 30. — The Illinois Equal Suffrage association today is sending out thousands of pledge cards to members of affiliated organizations throughout the state asking aid in demands for a state convention. It was stated the cards would reach 200,000 women.

WAR NEWS SUMMARY

General Foch's reserves have begunto come into action in the fight against the powerful thrust southward from the Aisne and the enemy is finding his progress increasingly difficult in consequence.

Again the Allied flanks are standing firm, and while Soissons has been lost on the west, Rheims is still holding out on the easterly edge of the battle front

CENTER OF ADVANCE

The chief progress of the Germans revealed in today's official reports was in the center of their advance, where some three miles additional ground has been covered from Louveigne, twelve miles north of the Marne, to Fere-En-Tardenois.

The blunt edge of the German wedge is shown to run here from Fere-En-Tardenois about 10½ miles directly east to Vezilly, 15½ miles southwest of Rheims.

Along this line the Germans are about 18 miles south of the Chemin-Des-Dames, giving them a penetration of approximately that distance at the beginning of the fifth day of their offensive.

ALLIED FLANKS STEADY

The steadiness of the Allied flanks under the heavy German pressure is one of the outstanding indications in the Paris official report. The Germans, for instance made attempt after attempt to debouch from Soissons after gaining that town, but the determined French in the outskirts prevented the enemy from achieving this object. French reserves are coming into play and the Allies are resisting the enemy in engagements of extreme violence.

Three miles northwest of Rheims the Franco-British defensive line is reported to have broken all the German assaults and to have maintained the front intact.

IN FLANDERS.

On the Flanders front the Germans made a local attack on a British position northwest of Festubert, in the Givenchy sector, which met with a complete repulse The British improved their line by an advance of some 200 yards in the Merris sector, to the northwest.

FALL OF SOISSONS.

Soissons fell to the Germans after a fierce fight in the streets of the city for several hours and the French were last reported holding tenaciously to their eatern suburbs.

GERMAN RESERVES

Apparently the Germans have used a large part of their reserves in the offensive across the Aisne, as they have not taken advantage of the movement here to strike elsewhere on the northern front.

AMERICANS REPULSE FOE.

Three counter attacks were made by the Germans against the American positions at Cantigny General Pershing's men, however, maintained their line unbroken and threw back the enemy with strong artillery and infantry fire, inflicting severe casualties on the attackers

Berlin, which delights in officially announcing the capture of American prisoners, does not give the Americans credit for the success at Cantigny, but says, "the enemy" carried out a local advance.

Berlin, in its latest report claims the number of prisoners has increased to 25,000.

Hospitals far behind the American sector in Picardy have been bombed by German airmen. Scores of Americans were in danger, but only a few were injured by flying glass. Several civilians and a French nurse were killed.

GERMANS FAIL.

Fighting in gas masks the American troops east of Luneville have checked a German attack under cover of gas waves. The Germans retreated under a heavy fire from American machine guns, suffering severely. At one point 14 Germans penetrated the American trenches. Nine were killed, one died of wounds and four are prisoners.

The Germans apparently are preparing for another attack against the American sector northwest of Toul. The enemy artillery fire has increased considerably and German airmen are very active. On the other hand, the American gunners are more than answering the enemy fire and the American aviators are keeping the German machines on their side of the line.

MILLION AMERICANS IN FRANCE, SAYS LEWIS

Illinois Senator Tells of Huge Amount of Munitions Being Made in United States.

Chicago, May 30—Senator James Hamilton Lewis said in a speech here today that the United States now has 1,000,000 soldiers in foreign lands, and that by Dec 1 it will be numerically equal to that of England. The address was made before the Evanston War board and the Evanston Commercial association.

VAST MUNITIONS WORK.

Senator Lewis said that 700,000,000 pounds of explosives are in process of manufacture. The ordnance department has spent, he said, $776,000,000 for projectiles, and 75,000,000 projectiles are on their way to General Pershing. One thousand rifles are being manufactured daily and 3,500,000,000 rounds of small arms ammunition have been contracted for. Last month, he said, we produced 275,000,000 pounds. He placed the machine guns contracted for at 850,000, and added that 100,000 have been delivered. By July 1, he added, we shall be producing 18,000 a month.

GREAT AMERICAN ARMY.

The American navy, the speaker added, has climbed from fourth to second position among the world's fleets. We have 150 warships in European waters and fifty others of a war character. There are 400,000 men in the navy and by Oct. 1 there will be a half a million, he explained

DEEPER MEANING MEMORIAL DAY

Thought of Entire Nation Now on Battlefields in France.

Washington, May 30.—Memorial day, this year carrying a deeper meaning because of the fuller participation of the United States in the war, and more significant because of the new American graves in France was observed today by the American people as "A day of public humiliation, prayer and fasting," in accordance with the proclamation of President Wilson, issued in response to a resolution of congress asking that a day be set aside.

THOUGHT OF NATION ON WAR

While in no manner was the honor annually shown to the veterans of past wars lessened, yet the thought of the nation was centered, on battlefields of France, where the German military machine is engaged in another drive against the forces of democracy.

FOLLOW WILSON'S EDICT.

In Washington the spirit of the president's proclamation was generally carried out The president planned to attend church services this morning and this afternoon it was expected he will be present at the annual services at Arlington cemetery

Both houses of congress stood adjourned.

SPIRIT OF REVERENCE.

Chicago, May 30.—The daily casualty lists from France, and here and there a service star that has changed to gold, gave a significance to the observance of Memorial day this year that has not been known to the present generation.

In the great valleys of the Ohio the Mississippi and the Missouri a more martial spirit and a greater reverence were apparent in services and demonstrations

There were probably fewer sporting and athletic events than in other years, but greater attendance at churches and larger crowds at the cemeteries.

In St Louis the principal services were at Jefferson Barracks and in the big parade 200 automobiles were provided for the veterans of the Civil war In this parade, as in others throughout the middle west, soldiers of the new armies were an inspiring feature

In Detroit interest centered in an address to be delivered by Colonel Roosevelt tonight

Governor Lowden and staff headed a big parade in Chicago and at the Great Lakes Naval training station, all unnecessary work was eliminated The parade in Des Moines was largely augmented by the presence of men from Camp Dodge cantonment Twenty thousand persons, it was estimated, marched in the parade at Milwaukee

SOME NEWS IN SUMMARY

Washington — President Wilson has appealed to all Americans to "buy only those things essential to individual health and efficiency, and to invest systematically in savings and thrift stamps."

Washington—The federal shipping board will give medals, flags and service badges to workers in shipyards as visible evidences that they are aiding in winning the war

Washington—Government war expenses will run $1,500,000,000 during May, it is announced, while tentative estimates fix $11,000,000,000 as the sum necessary for the next fiscal year.

Washington—Frank P. Glass, president of the American Newspaper Publishers' association, denied assertions of Representative Kitchin that a newspaper lobby was responsible for the administration's insistance that congress enact revenue legislation.

Washington—The fuel administration discontinued anthracite coal allotments to the trans-Mississippi territory, and in addition 24 southern and western states

LaFayette, La.—Forty passengers and one trainman were injured when Southern Pacific train no 101 was derailed near here Wednesday.

POSTPONE RACES AT SHEEPSHEAD

New York, May 30.—Owing to inclement weather which made the Sheepshead speedway track too slippery and dangerous for fast auto racing, the management announced that the Harkness handicap at 100 miles and the other events on today's program had been postponed until next Saturday afternoon.

AT OUR GRAVES IN FRANCE

[By Associated Press]

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, May 30—From Flanders to Switzerland, and from the battle line to the sea the American Expeditionary forces today are paying homage to their dead Wherever American flags are flying they are at half mast and before the day is over the Star Spangled Banner and flowers will be placed on virtually every American grave

CEREMONIES

At some points the ceremony took place early in the morning while other exercises were held at various times throughout the day. Daylight saw some graves decorated

At one place in the vicinity of Luneville the graves had been decorated in the morning darkness when the enemy could not see clearly, for the soldiers performing this duty might have drawn the German fire as did the burial party Here both the American and French flags were placed on the mounds with bunches of wild flowers—great blood red poppies and yellow and white daisies

PLAN HOUSING ROCK ISLAND MEN

Rock Island Ill, May 30. — The Chamber of Commerce here has been officially advised of an allotment for Rock Island of $750,000 of the $60,000,000 appropriation by congress for housing government employes, providing the city will add $250,000, which has already been pledged. The million dollar fund thus provided will be used for the erection of 400 houses in the city for Rock Island arsenal workers. It is understood a similar number of houses will be erected in Moline and Davenport, Ia., on the same basis.

GERMANS OF AUSTRIA STARVING

Washington, May 30 — Famine among Germans of Austria, with the czechs and Jugoslavs keeping their food supplies to themselves, has reached such proportions that the Stuttgart Neues Tagblatt says the Teutonic alliance will be threatened unless a remedy is found, according to an official dispatch from France yesterday quoting the German paper and saying" they are starving not only in western Bohemia, but in Carinthia, Styria and Tyrol"

The Weather

Chicago, May 30 — Following are the weather indications for Illinois for thirty-six hours ending at 7 p. m. Friday:

Partly cloudy tonight and Friday, probably showers in north and central portions, warmer in extreme north portion.

LOCAL OBSERVATIONS.

Following is the range of temperature as recorded by Prof. J. H. Coonradt United States weather observer

7 p.m. Wednesday	78
7 a.m. Thursday	72
Noon Thursday	87
Highest Wednesday	89
Lowest Thursday	67
Sun rises (Standard time)	5:01
Sun sets	7:[illegible]

BEMENT PUPILS TO GIVE PAGEANT

Bement, May 30.—The senior class of the high school will change the manner of observing class day and give a pageant entitled "The Masque of a Century," Wednesday, June 5, on the school campus at 7 o'clock in the evening.

The pageant is in three episodes: the first, The school; the second, the stage; the third, the nation. There will be two or three persons besides the seniors who will have a part in the performance. An orchestra will furnish the music.

NEW I. T. S. SCHEDULE

A new time card went into effect Sunday on the Illinois Traction System. Slight changes were made. The schedule is now:

East	West
Local 6:46 a. m.	Local 7:3[illegible] a. m.
Local 9:21 a. m.	Local 9:58 a. m.
Limited 10:1[illegible] a. m.	Local 11:5[illegible] a. m.
Local 1[illegible] p. m.	Limited 1:44 p. m.
Limited [illegible]:05 p. m.	Local [illegible]:58 p. m.
Local [illegible] p. m.	Local [illegible]:01 p. m.
Local 7:1[illegible] p. m.	Local 8:01 p. m.
Local 10:26 p. m.	Local 1[illegible]:[illegible]0 p. m.

Carl Stadler, advertising manager for the Operators Piano Co., of Chicago, formerly of Bement, left Chicago Tuesday for Camp Wheeler, Macon, Ga., as a part of the Engineers' Corps, in which department he enlisted three or four weeks ago.

Mr. Stadler successfully passed the examination but had not been assigned until notice was received last week. He has had quite an extensive experience in engineering as well as office work and is anxious to get into a [illegible].

It is likely that he will be sent overseas within a reasonably short time as he has had considerable military training.

His stenographer made and sent to his mother, Mrs. A. C. Stadler, a silk service flag, and the company for which he worked gave him a wrist watch.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Stadler were guests Thursday of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Stadler in Decatur. Mr. Stadler attended a Masonic pow wow there Thursday night.

Mayor I. F. Sprague and family were Decatur visitors Wednesday.

Mrs. I. W. Coles was called to Decatur Wednesday by the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Stewart.

Fred C[illegible] came home from Chicago Wednesday to stay until Monday morning.

John Estel Larck and Elbert Pruitt are two more Bement men whose names are included in Platt county's list of men to be sent to Kentucky, Saturday.

MEMORIAL SERVICES IN MOWEAQUA

Moweaqua, May 30.—Memorial services will be held at the Baptist church Thursday afternoon at 2:30, Rev. E. V. Young delivering the address. Miss Corrinne Longenbaugh will sing a solo.

Clayton Humphrey of the First National bank, who has been seriously ill with pleural pneumonia, has passed the crisis and is slightly improved.

Edwin Adamson of Decatur spent Sunday with home folks.

Moweaqua sent a delegation of 150 people to Shelbyville on Saturday to the great Red Cross demonstration. Our part in the parade consisted of a human Red Cross composed of thirty-three young women, Mrs. Blaine Snyder and Mrs. Haldon Ayars acting as captains. About eighteen mothers of soldiers and sailors rode and our Boy Scouts marched. Two floats added to our showing, one a seven passenger car covered with white muslin with numerous red crosses on it. In the car rode young women in white with red crosses on foreheads and parasols. The other float was a truck containing a wounded soldier on a cot with two Red Cross nurses in attendance.

Tags were sold by our girls, the money to be used in our branch, from which nearly $40 was realized.

Miss N[illegible] Johnson proved the best [illegible] with a record of $15 in sales. Miss Ma[illegible] Hughes came second with $1[illegible] and Miss Alice Simpson brought in $1[illegible].

Cards have been received from Lieut. Blain Gregory, Lieut. Charles Moss, Lawrence Hattme[illegible], George Wylie and Hugh Adams, [illegible] safely overseas.

Neil Corrington was rejected in Peoria last week on account of flat feet. This is his second failure to pass, but he still hopes to get in when his turn comes in the draft.

Nelson Moss, who is at Camp Taylor, [illegible] Ky., is earning the carpenter trade and likes his surroundings immensely.

Louis Hedges and Glen Clark left Monday night for Peoria. They enlisted in the navy. Haines sold his stock of gents furnishings to dealers in other places and his automobile to Henry Heitmeyer. Ernest Risley has enlisted in the navy. Ralph Adams, who enlisted in Taylorville last week, was interested to finish a com[illegible] who were starting east. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Adams and Miss Ruth Adams saw him in Decatur as he passed through.

Mrs. Fred W[illegible] has received word that her brother, Dr. Miller of Pana, has enlisted in the Medical Corps. He hopes to be sent at once to France. Verne Coffman has been made orderly to a major in the Medical Corps at Ellington Field. He sent his mother a box of wonderfully fine [illegible] which were well preserved.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Coffman and daughters have been visiting here several days.

Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] A. Davis and daughters motored to Arthur for the week-end.

The following men left here Monday for Hattiesburg, Miss., with Shelby county's largest contingent: Charles Oakley, Workman, James Page, Will Daugherty, Will Hays, Chester Derhards, Earl Cheatham, Stephen Portwood, Fred Miller and Lee [illegible].

Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Sanders and son [illegible] spent the first of the week in [illegible] where Robert had his tonsils and adenoids removed.

Mrs. Lloyd Koon[illegible] left Saturday for Dayton, O., where she will be allowed to remain near her soldier husband while he is in this country.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hight, May 25, a son. He has been named Clyde Wh[illegible].

The Epworth League will put on a show Friday night in the city park. There will be a [illegible], a fortune telling booth, the [illegible] will be present and refreshments will be on sale. Everybody come and help them raise their money for the summer mission.

Mrs. Frank Homrighous of Assumption is visiting her mother, Mrs. H. F. Day.

Kenneth Snyder was home from Wesleyan university for the week-end.

Miss Frances Hudson, who has been in North Carolina for two years, will arrive here Friday for an indefinite stay. Her many friends will be delighted to see her. She will be accompanied by Miss Helen Snyder, who has been in Florida as [illegible] secretary in his Boys school.

[illegible] Rollins of Normal university, was home Saturday.

Arthur Wilson, who has been employed in the James Hedges store, is working for A. M. Hughey for a time.

Mrs. Emma Gask[illegible] came Wednesday from Macon, where she has been with her sister, Mrs. Frank Stroud.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Peabody of Stonington spent Sunday with relatives here.

Roy Marshall spent the week end with his family.

Mrs. Fred Williams was hostess to the English club Tuesday. Miss Beatrice Cargan of [illegible] was a guest.

Mrs. Florence Kirker entertained the Matrons club on Tuesday. Red Cross sewing was done.

On May 27 the shipments of Red Cross garments to Shelbyville from this branch contained 37 bed shirts, 15 pajamas, 3 [illegible] underdrawers, 1 helmet, 2 pairs wristlets and 4 pairs of socks.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Snyder and daughter, Miss [illegible], left Sunday for Chicago for a few days recreation.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Williams spent Sunday in Pana, the guests of Dr. and Mrs. T. H. Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sheffler and Miss Delight Harper of Decatur spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Life Harper.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Silver have sold their spacious bungalow to G. H. Jordan and will move next week to Bolivar, Mo. The Silvers will be greatly by their many friends.

Miss Mabel Sparling left Tuesday morning for Champaign.

Warren Mothers to Entertainment.

Warren school mothers are making preparations for their entertainment Friday night for the benefit of the Boy Scouts and Junior Red Cross.

They will begin serving refreshments consisting of hamburgers, coffee, doughnuts and ice cream cones at 6 o'clock. A program which will consist of a play will be put on by the mothers inside the building. The play is being coached by Mrs. Lucile Loring Evans.

The members will give the play also at 3:00 in the afternoon for the benefit of the children.

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We can fit you with glasses that will restore your full normal vision without the least [illegible] of discomfort or annoyance in the wearing. Of this [illegible] convince you in a [illegible] time.

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J. Fred. Wallace

EYE SERVICE

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We are out of the high rent district. We buy for cash and sell for cash. Read the following prices—just a few of the many bargains to be found here.

Extra Special—Ladies' doll kid pumps—a pair **$2.95**

Ladies' comfort slippers with black cloth tops, one strap, etc., in all sizes **$1.45**

Ladies' White cloth shoes—9 inch tops—high and military heels. A $3.50 value — priced **$2.45**

Children's Sandals 75c and **85c**

Men's Elkskin shoes in tan and black—all guaranteed, a pair **$2.50**

Men's dark brown English last shoes—all leather—guaranteed—a $6 value, our price **$4.45**

Men's army shoes, priced elsewhere at $7, our price a pair **$4.95**

New tan comfort house slippers **$1.98**

J. MILLER

600 E. Eldorado St. *We Do Repair Work.*

'Tis a Time of Service and Sacrifice. To Serve We MUST Sacrifice.

Linn & Scruggs DRY GOODS & CARPET COMPANY

To Sacrifice We Must Save. That is the Purpose of Economy Friday.

THE PROMISED GREAT GERMAN OFFENSIVE AGAIN IS ON—BUT THIS ADVERTISEMENT IS AN OFFENSIVE AGAINST THE HIGH COST OF LIVING AND ITS WATCHWORD IS

ECONOMY FRIDAY

Economy Friday is our month-end Clearance of merchandise, the room of which in our stocks is of more value than the possible profit of retaining them for sale at regular prices. Included are broken lines of sizes, styles, etc., merchandise which for various reasons, we cannot reorder, etc.

Economy Friday is this month of especial interest because it brings to our patrons quantities of very seasonable merchandise at attractive prices which represent most substantial savings in regular Linn & Scruggs values—that is, "The Best Always, No Matter What the Price." It's YOUR Chance to Save—Will You?

Read Every Item—You're Bound To Find Something Worth The Effort

Friday Economies in the

Notion Aisle

40c Stationery for 29c

Coymore Linen Stationery in white, pink, light blue and buff. A box of 24 sheets paper and 24 envelopes, ordinarily worth 40c at the Economy Friday price of 29c.

Buttons at Half.

A lot of pretty Fancy Trimming Buttons, in all shapes, colors and sizes, regularly worth 10c to 50c the dozen, at just half price.

10c Nyoil for 7c.

This is the finest lubricating oil that is made for Victrolas, Sewing Machines, etc. Economy Friday—a 10c bottle for 7c.

Calumet Hair Pins for 8c.

This is a large assortment of standard Calumet pins in a neat box, at box Economy Friday—8c.

Wilsnap Dress Fasteners.

The best fastener made, and we have them in black and white. Either color Economy Friday, at 3 cards for 24c.

98c Embroidered Bands for 19c.

Embroidered Bands in colors on white ground, suitable for voiles and crepes. Economy Friday we shall sell the 98c quality for yard 49c; and the $1.98 quality for yard 98c.

$1.98 Voile for $1.49

White Embroidered Voile—with two bands of French blue organdy—22½ inches wide; for two-flounce skirt and jumper, $1.98 value for $1.49.

$1.98 White Voile for $1.49

White Voile embroidered in helio, with a ruffle of organdy—22½ inches wide. A $1.98 value for $1.49.

$1.35 Voile Flouncing 98c

Handsome 40-inch Flouncing embroidered in various colors — light blue, helio, French blue, Mais, pink, coral, black and white. A $1.35 value for yard 98c; $1.45 and $1.75 value for $1.19; $2.25 value for yard $1.69.

8 1-3c Handkerchiefs for 5c

An odd lot of good quality 8 1-3c Handkerchiefs, at the Economy Friday choice of each 5c.

Suits & Silk Dresses

Specially Reduced For Economy Friday Only

Here are a lot of Handsome Suits that are fresh and of most attractive styles. The materials include

Wool Jerseys, Trichitines, and Serges

The colors included are Copenhagen, green, tan, grey and black and white checks. There are about forty suits in this lot, and former prices were $35 to $75. Economy Friday Only, you shall have choice of the lot at each

$34.85, $28.45, $25.65

The Silk Dresses

Are in Foulards, Taffetas, Satin, and Taffeta with Georgette combinations. Former prices were up to $60.00, but Economy Friday only, we shall sell them at each

$25.85 and $11.85

Girls' Ging'm Dresses

Girls' Pretty Gingham Dresses of red, blue, pink and tan, have high waist line with white collar, cuffs and pockets. Sizes 6 to 14 years and a bargain at each $1.69.

Yellow Plaid Gingham Dresses made with white collar and cuffs, with self belt and pockets—for girls from 6 to 14 years. Choice $1.69.

Hair Goods Department

25% Reductions on All Hair Goods for Economy Friday.
Loktite Hair Nets per Dozen 77c.

Special Value in

Men's Socks

Men's Fine Lisle Seamless Socks, in black, pearl grey, gun metal, dark tan, Cordovan green, navy, etc. These are splendid wearing Hose and we are offering them in all sizes and above colors, at three pairs for $1

Basement Economies

51-piece Dinner Set $4.98
Handsome 54-piece white and gold decorated Dinner Set, complete service for six persons, for $4.98.
100-Piece Set, Same style, for $8.98
Decorated Cups and Saucers, 98c Set.
Beautifully decorated Cups and Saucers in pink floral ornamentation, with gold band. A set of six for 98c.
Dinner Plates to Match—89c.
Dinner Plates to match the above at set of six for 89c.
White Cups and Saucers for 75c.
Nice white Cups and Saucers, in ovide shape, per set of 6—75c.
Rubber Garden Hose—
5-ply guaranteed Garden Hose, complete with necessary couplings.
25-foot lengths for $2.48
50-foot lengths for $4.95
4-foot Porch Swing $4.98
Extra strong four-foot Porch Swing with panel back and sides. Complete with chain and hooks for each $4.98.
Screen Wire at 19c Yard—
Best grade black wire Screen Cloth, 26, 28 or 30 inches wide, at yard 19c.
A Lawn Mower for $5.48—
16-inch high wheel lawn mower—will give excellent service, for each $5.48.
Sterifoam for cleaning toilet bowls.
A 25c can and a 25c brush—both for 25c.

Short Ends of

SILKS

Attractive striped silks for Waists and Skirts, in lengths of two to four and one-half yards, sold from the piece at $1.50 the yard, we shall sell while they last on Economy Friday, at yard $1.00.

We do not cut these short lengths at this price. Entire remnant must be purchased.

White Canvas Shoes

It's time to get into White Canvas Shoes—the ideal Footwear for Summer weather.

We've a special value to show you Economy Friday. They're fine, white Laced Shoes, with turned soles and covered Louis heels. They are worth much more but are specially priced at

Pair $3.95

We have all sizes.

Millinery Economies

Lot No. 1—

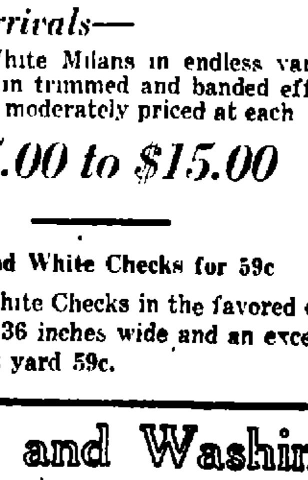
Especially priced at $1.99
to close the remainder of our early Hats.

Lot No. 2—

Hats, formerly priced to $12.50,
we offer to close, at each $2.49.

New Arrivals—

In Organdy and Georgette Crepe
Hats in grey, pink and white, at each $10.00 to $12.50.



Daily Arrivals—

In White Milans in endless variety, both in trimmed and banded effects. Very moderately priced at each

$5.00 to $15.00

85c Black and White Checks for 59c

Black and White Checks in the favored over-plaid effect, 36 inches wide and an excellent 85c value, at yard 59c.

Soap and Washing Powder Bargains

Soaps and Washing Powders are delivered only in connection with other merchandise from the basement:

Six bars of Maple City Laundry Soap for 28c.

Polly Prim Washing Powder at can 8c.

Dutch Cleanser Washing Powder at can 8c.

Gold Dust, at package 5c.

H. & H. Carpet Soap at cake 12c.

"Lux"—at box 12c.

Third Floor

Economies

Remnants of Cretonnes and Silkalines at 19c

These are values that formerly sold at 25c to 60c the yard. Economy Friday you shall have choice at yard 19c.

75c Draperies for yard 45c

Guaranteed Sunfast and Tubfast Draperies, in plain and figured materials, worth 75c, at yard 45c.

Quaker Lace Curtain Bargains.

Quaker Lace Curtains, Voiles, Marquisettes, and Imported Swiss in lots of only one or two pairs of a pattern, in six lots as follows:

Lot No. 1—$3.00 values for pair $1.85

Lot No. 2—$4.00 values for pair $2.90

Lot No. 3—$5.00 values for pair $3.35

Lot No. 4—$6.00 values for pair $4.25

Lot No. 5—$8.00 values for pair $5.25

Lot No. 6—$10 values for pair $8.25

Remnants of Linoleum.

Some of these pieces are large enough for a small room. $1.00 Printed Linoleums, at square yard 50c. $1.60 Inlaid Linoleums at square yard 75c.

$15.00 Mattress for $9.50.

$15.00 all cotton 50 lb. Mattress, for $9.50.

$5.00 value in best quality cotton top mattress, for $3.90.

Choice of all our Brass Beds, in any finish, at half the original price.

Economies in

Corset Section

Ladies' Fancy Brassieres with lace trimmed top and waist line, at each 85c.

An Odd Lot of Corsets in values up to $3.00, we shall sell you Economy Friday, at choice for 98c.

Corsets of Summer Netting, very attractive values at each $1.00 and $1.25.

DECATUR GIRLS AND STRANGE SOLDIERS

HERE'S LETTER FROM A SOLDIER

Camp Grant, Ill.,
May 28.

Editor Woman's Page:

Just a line about the girl question. I have a sister at home—not far from Decatur—and I wouldn't want her to be parading around on the station platform when the soldier trains go through. Soldiers on their way to France are keyed up to a high pitch and girls who are not personally acquainted with them should keep away. Chance acquaintances are often disastrous, not only for the girl but also the soldier.

Every soldier has a wholesome respect for womanhood. That's why he is fighting Germany. The girls and young women should help them keep that respect by acting as real women should.

Respectfully,
H. E. L.
Co. D, 321st Inf.

No question in Decatur in a long time has stirred up so much interest as that asked by a girl in Bright Bros. store "Is it right for a girl to shake hands with a strange soldier, and wish him good luck?" This girl did so and was sternly reproved by another woman who saw her do it.

Was the girl right or was she wrong? What do you say? Mail your answers to the editor Woman's page, The Review. Some of the best letters received are as follows.

One From a Man.

Editor Woman's Page—I do not know if the men are allowed to put in on the question of whether the girls did right by shaking hands with the soldiers or not, but would like to state that I do not believe they did for these reasons.

First—The biggest majority of the girls I have noticed are girls that make a practice of meeting every troop train.

Second—They crowd in the way of the canteen workers and hinder them in their work.

Third—A good many of them climb up on the rods of the car and begin kissing every lips that is in reach.

Fourth—The above named crowd of girls leave the impression with the troops that is not fair for the girls that act like ladies, and know how to conduct themselves.

Ask any man that must be at the depot when the the troops come in and they can tell you more reasons than I have stated here.

AN OBSERVER.

Must Be Ladylike, She Says.

Editor Woman's Page:—In my opinion it is the duty of every man and woman either young or old to give our soldier boys a hand of friendship and a word of good cheer at any and all times whether we know them or not. I have met several troop trains and find that all the boys I have talked with very eager to talk with us and in every case they have acted like perfect gentlemen, so I see no reason why our girls should not talk with the boys provided the girls are ladylike in their own conduct. I have a brother and six cousins in the army so am very much interested in all the other 'boys' we might meet.

On one train there was a soldier who gave me his mother's address, and I wrote her telling her how contented he seemed to be, hoping to cheer her lonely heart and her answer surely proved that the mothers of these boys appreciate and approve of us giving their sons a hand shake and a few words of cheer as they pass through our towns. Another boy asked me to take his picture and send to his folks which I did. Will that father and mother appreciate that picture of their boy on his way to France?

MRS. D. A. W.

Should Encourage Boys.

Editor Woman's Page: I saw in the Sunday Review where you wanted the thoughts of any one about shaking hands with the soldiers. I certainly do not think it is any harm to shake hands with the soldiers and wish them good luck. We should all go and encourage the boys that are going across to help win the war.

I have a brother 'somewhere in France' and I want every girl or anyone else to shake hands with him and wish him good luck and I know he would appreciate it. If no one would go to the station to greet the boys they would say Decatur people are not proud of us, even though we go to win the war and they do not have to go.

M. O.

Nellie Says It's O. K.

Editor Woman's Page
The Review—

I feel as though there is no harm done by telling the soldier boys goodbye and shaking hands. I have told many a soldier goodbye and shaken his hand as he passed through the city and I am only longing for the chance to tell many more goodbye.

I have a brother in the service and I would feel very bad if they did not wish him good luck and shake his hand as he passed through the cities. I am a Decatur girl and I feel as though I am as good as the next one, if I did tell them goodbye. I never made a fool of myself, either.

NELLIE C.

Blames Younger Girls.

Editor Woman's Page—

In answer to your question in Sunday's Review I want to say that I know the boys who we tell goodbye and wish good luck, and shake hands with do not misconstrue our meaning. They appreciate the fact that we are bubbling over with enthusiasm and I think that anyone who would make a remark about a young lady shaking hands with one of "our boys" is proving herself very narrow minded.

I agree there are girls who meet the troop trains who have no business there they are there just for curiosity's sake and girls of the age of fourteen to eighteen should be kept away as it is girls like that who are the cause of the girls who are right being ridiculed.

From one who has four service stars in her flag.

M. S.

One From a Mother.

Editor Woman's Page:—

I say it is all right for the girls to give "our boys" a friendly handshake. A true man respects purity anywhere and always realizes it where ever it is. I have two boys gone across and it would make my blood boil if any one thought they were too good to give them a friendly handshake. Their sister shakes hands with strange soldiers and we do not think anything about it. A prude often "strains at a gnat, swallows elephant."

A MOTHER.

Different Method

Editor Woman's Page.—

If shaking hands with strange soldiers was all the girls from Bright's did, the criticism was unjust, but were they deserving of reproof one would have expected a different method than that used by the canteen women in this instance.

A WOMAN.

COAL CARS ARE NOW PLENTIFUL

Coal Business Still Far From What It Should Be, Says Railroader.

There are plenty of coal cars, says a Wabash official, but the coal business does not seem to be what it ought to be. He thinks that the people are not buying the coal as they should at the present price. With the coal experience of last winter still fresh in their minds he thinks that people should take advantage of the opportunity to store coal for next winter.

A local freight agent says that reports from various points in the middle west show that 100 per cent of the coal cars asked for are being supplied by the railroads, and more could be furnished if they were needed.

"Oh Joy! Today is Wash-day"

It is no longer a drudge-day or work-day but rest-and-take-it-easy-day for thousands of women who have learned to wash clothes the modern way. No more hand-scraping, back-breaking labor over the washboard, no more rubbing of clothes, no more torn clothes—no more yellow, streaked, smelly, half-clean clothes.

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$100.00 In Gold to any person who finds in our tablets even the slightest trace of any substance harmful or injurious to the most delicate skin or the finest fabric.

Try this next wash-day and see.

At Grocers Enough for Four Weeks' Washing 15c

Guarantee
Coupon in every package—your complete satisfaction in the use of Delbarr's Napta Washing Tablets is absolutely guaranteed. Money back if you want it. You take no risk.

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Ready—splendidly ready—to meet the needs of the many women who want

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WASH DRESSES

—All sizes—For women and misses

$6.50 to $15.00

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For a long time we've been getting ready for early June business—with the result that we have assembled inexpensive dresses—yet possessing such unusual charm and quality—offering values so out of the ordinary—that women will enjoy the choosing.

To meet a popular demand—a sale of Women's and Misses'

WASH SKIRTS

$5.00 and $6.50

Realizing that a skirt must be well tailored to fit, to hang correctly and to keep its shape—we chose our collections from makers who can be counted on to give high class, careful workmanship. There is a difference!

Featuring This Week

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at $2.50

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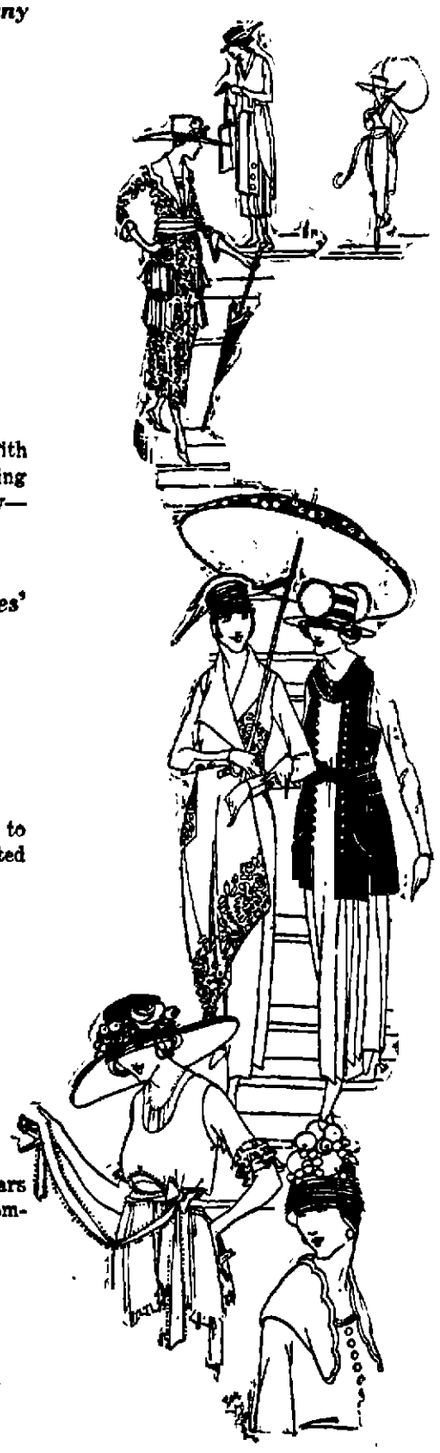

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Big Wonder Triangular Cedar Mop, like illustration, with a big can of polish—

Mop and Polish 51c

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All the popular Dyes, including Rit, Diamond, Putnam's, Angel Dainty, Dy-ola and De Luxe

10c—3 for 25c

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on hand. Jet Black; Dull Black and all colors

25c size, 20c

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10c a Can

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Satin Skin Powder, 30c
Cream, 30c—55c

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Peterman's Discovery kills bed bugs and their eggs. A sure preventative.
Peterman's Roach Food kills roaches, waterbugs and beetles. Standard for 36 years.
Peterman's Ant Food kills ants and fleas.
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Beautify a cloudy skin, get the good red blood coursing through your cheeks by the famous Pompeian method. A pinch of Pompeian MASSAGE Cream rubbed in, then out again—that's all. But what a difference it makes! Pompeian MASSAGE Cream is pink and is particularly good for oily, cloudy skins. "Don't envy a good complexion; use Pompeian and have one."

Three sizes: 45c, 65c and 85c

Don't Stay Up Nights With Croupy Children

When immediate relief is assured by using

Dr. Knott's CROUPINE

the new Croup, Cough and Cold remedy without opiates. Guaranteed to give instant relief. Two Sizes on sale at cut prices.

20c 40c

Spraying Material

Now is the time to kill the potato bugs. We have all the popular bug-killers, and sprays for vegetables, fruits, rose bushes, etc. Tell us what you want to spray, let us advise you what you need.

Paris Green, best grade, per pound, 65c; one-half pound ... 35c
Blue Vitriol, per pound 25c
Arsenate of Lead, dry, pound, 55c; one-half pound 30c, in 5 pound lots, per pound.... 50c
Insecto, Dry, a powder combination of Bordeaux Mixture and lead Arsenate, lb. cans. 55c
White Hellebore, best grade, lb..... 75c
London Purple, pound, 40c; half pound, 25c; quarter lb. 15c
Bug Death, pound, 25c; in 5 pound lots, per pound 15c
Black Leaf 40, per package 25c
Rose Nicotine, 15c and 30c
Tin Sprayers, up from 50c
Formaldehyde Solution, pt. 45c
½ gallon $1.50
Slug Shot, one pound pkg., 25c; in 5 lb. lots, per pound 15c

Call here for Tobacco Dust, Kerosene Emulsion, and any other favorite syrays you may ever need. We handle strictly high grade sprays, potent and sure.

Decatur Egg Preserver

This is the time to preserve eggs for winter use. Our Egg Preserver, a solution of Water Glass, is dependable, economical, and easy to use. Full directions on each bottle. Decatur Egg Preserver will do the work and save you high cost of fresh eggs later on. Ask for this preservative. We are selling lots of it every day to satisfied customers who have used it before.

Pint 20c Quart 35c

Avoid Annoyance

Your inoffensive perspiring body and feet are usually the cause of a great deal of annoyance when wrapped air-tight in warm clothing.

Don't worry. Dust on a little SPIRO every morning and you will be surprised and delighted at the clean, comfortable feeling it imparts. Odors of perspiration vanish. Your feet feel fine. The chafing is gone. And no prickly heat or such annoyances.

SPIRO POWDER Relieves Chafing, Prickly Heat, Eczema and Deodorizes Perspiration.

We have hundreds of customers who have been using SPIRO better than ten years and are loud in their praises of its merits as they were the first time it was used. A little dust where needed. Its effect is immediate and lasting. The 25c size on sale here at 20c

This Enables One to Be Rid of Corns Forever

No discovery for the removal of corns and callouses has met with such unequaled approval as the wonderful Bingo method. Nothing else takes out the corn entire—including the root—so easily, quickly, without the least pain. Equally good for hard or soft corns, whether on top, bottom, side or between toes. We sell and recommend Bingo. A quarter's worth of "Bingo" will do for an entire family. A drop or two gives instant relief. Entire corn just shrivels up, loosens and you pick it out without any trouble at all.

25c Bingo 20c

Ants! Ants!

Rid Your House of Pesky Ants.

We are selling a guaranteed remedy to drive away ants. Every housekeeper, cafe, restaurant, hotel, etc., needs it.

STUMPF'S MAGIC HOODOO

The United States government uses it to get rid of ants in the tropics. Don't be bothered with ants. Ask us for Magic Hoodoo. On sale, per package.... 15c

THE BAR-KEEPER'S FRIEND

Powder Metal Polish.
Best for Brass and All Base Metals.
Renews Marble
Non-combustible

Goes farther than any Liquid Polish and costs less
1-lb for 20c

Di-Li-Po

Will Cure Indigestion and Stomach Trouble.

When You Have Heartburn, Sour Stomach, Water Brash, Gas in Stomach, Distress After Meals, One Dose Will Give You Instant Relief

Are you weak, run down and nervous? Are you afraid to eat for fear it will cause distress in your stomach? How many times do you sit down to the table and say, 'I would like to eat so-and-so, but am afraid'? No need for this. Come here, get a box of Di-Li-Po, then eat what you want. Before you get up from the table, take one dose. Watch the results, and see how good your stomach will feel. No distress—no soreness—no gas—no bloating. Di-Li-Po digests the food and converts it into good blood, prevents fermentation, and makes your stomach feel like new.

We sell the $1.00 size at 87c
The 50c size at only 45c

Derma Viva The Ideal Powder.

Will make the skin as white and beautiful as a babe's. Is absolutely invisible. If your hands, arms or neck are red, brown, dark or streaked, try it once and note the wonderful improvement. In liquid form or in powder form, flesh or white. Accept no substitute. The regular 50c size, either liquid or powder, we recommend as a genuine beauty aid. On sale here at 35c

Try Derma Viva Rouge

Purely vegetable in the handsome mirrored box. You will like this new product.

Cut Price 40c

Old Folks Recipe for Weak Kidneys

While people will along in years are more subject to weak kidneys and bladder than younger folks, their trouble need not necessarily be serious and can often be easily corrected by a safe, simple home kidney regulator that acts promptly. A good plan is to stop eating meat, sugar and sweets for a few days and to take a few drops of Solvax with which we can easily supply you at little expense. Solvax is harmless and acts safely but quickly on the kidneys and bladder to strengthen them for their natural work and drain out all the impurities from the blood that cause the kidneys to get slow and sluggish. Twenty-four hours generally show results and make the kidneys act fine. Back Pains and weakness soon are forgotten and sufferers are enabled to get a good 8 hours sleep without getting in and out of bed several times during the night.

Do not suffer another day but see at once if Solvax will not relieve you. If you find it does not tell us so and we will cheerfully return the money you paid us for it. We know no stronger argument for any medicine than the willingness of those who sell it to stand back of it in this way.

Cut Price on Solvax 45c

LIMITED SERVICE MEN TO BE CALLED

200 From Decatur Will Go Soon.

The question that has perhaps been asked more frequently than any other since the physical examinations for the first draft were completed, "What is the government going to do with the limited service men?" has at last been answered by Provost Marshal General Crowder. These men will be used to relieve class 1 men who are engaged in the production or handling of equipment for the army, thus releasing a great many "fighting" men for service at the front. There are about 200 limited service men in Decatur.

There are in all 200,000 men of draft age throughout the country who have on examination by the surgeons been placed in the limited service class on account of some minor defect that, while not interfering with their ability to carry on useful occupations, would probably unfit them for some of the duties that soldiers must perform. General Crowder announced Wednesday night that the army staff corps would utilize these men and he has issued the first call for ...ted service men under the new plan.

AIRPLANE PRODUCTION.

"Orders went forth to governors of states for upward of 9,000 men for service in spruce production for airplanes. The men will be allowed to volunteer until June 6. After that date a report will be made to the provost marshal general, and if there are not sufficient volunteers allotments will be made to the various states to be filled by involuntary indictment. Some 10,000 men of the army are engaged in getting out spruce timber in the northwest and the Signal Corps constantly is increasing this number. Consequently the sending of the new men to this field will constitute no new policy, and it is understood that it has no relation to complaints that the I. W. W. have retarded the output of spruce.

Some twenty-four trades or classes including railroad, transport and construction men, office workers and laborers, are desired for the spruce division. When this division has been filled men will be called to fill other staff services of the army until the 200,000 total has been exhausted. No indication was given as to when the other calls will be made.

ONE OF PROBLEMS.

In a statement announcing the new plan, Gen. Crowder said the solution of the question of what to do with these men had been "one of the great problems of the draft." Some of the men, it was explained, have a thumb or toe or eye missing, but almost every one of them is engaged in active business and thus were held to be of some use in the military establishment. After months of study it was decided to call them into branches of the army engaged in producing equipment for the fighting men.

LEAVES TONIGHT FOR FT. THOMAS

JOHN M. PASOLD.

Mr. Pasold is one of the drafted men leaving tonight for Fort Thomas, Ky. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Pasold, 506 West Macon street, and has been engaged with his father in the stone contracting business for the last four years.

FIVE MORE MEN ENLIST IN ARMY

Friday is Last Day For Young Men to Enter the Army.

Five young men enlisted in the regular army at Decatur Wednesday afternoon and were sent to Jefferson Barracks Thursday, as follows:

George W. Stoy, 837 S. Maffit St., to the Coast Artillery.

Francis M. Camp, 1604 North Main street, to the Field Artillery.

Wilbur J. Adams, Cerro Gordo street, to the Field Artillery.

Charles J. McKittrick, Herrick, Ill., to the Coast Artillery.

Glenn J. Troutman of Farmia, Ill., to the Medical department.

Saturday will be the last day that young men who are subject to register on June 5 can enlist without being drafted. Many are considering the advantage of choosing their own branch of the service and it is expected that there will be many enlistments during the next two days. All who are interested should call on Sergeant Heirigle at the local army recruiting office as early as possible for information on the subject.

Private Frank Bedrick was sent from Camp Grant to assist the local army recruiting officers Wednesday. Sergeant John Sedden has gone to New Jersey with a military prisoner from Springfield and will not be back for a few days, and Sergeant Heirigle has asked that Corporal Asa Barr, who was recently transferred to the Quincy office, be sent back to Decatur to assist in recruiting work. He is considered one of the best men ever stationed here.

PUBLIC LIBRARY GAINS CIRCULATION

8,349 More Books Than Preceding Year.

The Decatur public library put out 147,544 books in its circulation department during the past year, a gain of 8,349 over the preceding year, which had, up to that time, been the most active in the history of the institution.

The annual report of the work of the institution was made by Librarian Alice G. Evans to the board Wednesday night, and the board voted an increase in pay of $5 a month to each member of the staff and also made provision for additional help in the cataloging department, where the work had outgrown the ability of the force now employed to handle it.

EFFICIENT WORK.

The board will make its report to the mayor and commissioners, and in its report it will call attention to the efficient work done by the librarian and her staff, especially with reference to the active part the library has taken in the various patriotic tasks assigned to it during the last year; the exhibits at the food show, the distribution of pamphlets on conservation, gardening and the like, and the collection of thousands of books to be sent to the training camps for war libraries.

The work of the branch at the H. B. Durfee school is also commented upon most favorably, as the work has grown there until larger quarters have been secured. The circulation at the branch during the past year was 9,443 books, a gain of 1,908 over the previous year.

The deposit station at the Roach school has also grown in use, and it is expected that more books will be made available there next year.

MRS. EDDIE MORRIS UNABLE TO CROSS

No Unnecessary Travel Allowed On Ocean at Present.

Eddie Morris, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Morris, 451 South Water street, had expected to have his wife and babies who are living in New York cross over to England this month to visit with him but Mrs. Morris finds that the government is not allowing any civilians to cross the sea unless they are on war duty. No shipping space is granted for unnecessary travel and added mouths to feed are not welcome on the other side unless they are the mouths of fighting men.

Mrs. Morris can get no satisfaction as to when she may get permission to go to England to her husband.

Walter Dipper Arrested.

Walter Dipper was arrested Wednesday evening for violating the traffic ordinance in driving past a street car that had stopped to unload passengers. He denies the charge and his trial is set for next Monday before Justice Fixton.

Do You Drive a Car?

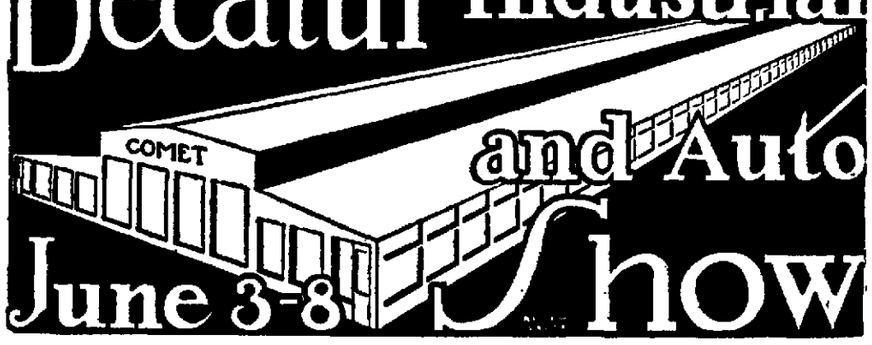
Eye strain may very easily be aggravated by driving a car. The glare of the sun, the attempt to focus the eyes on objects which you are passing rapidly irritates the eyes.

Don't give up the car—but have your eyes attended to. You may need our specially ground tinted glasses. Ground to your prescription, they relieve the strain on the eyes and afford perfect protection from the glare of the sun.

Weatherby & Weatherby
THE OPTICAL SHOP
106 E. William St.

The Patriotic Side of the

Decatur Industrial and Auto Show



June 3-8

—The patriotic note will be clear and strong throughout the DECATUR INDUSTRIAL and AUTO SHOW.

—Decatur does not intend to capitalize patriotism for the benefit of her exposition; rather it is her intention to capitalize this event for the benefit of patriotism.

—The very decorations were planned with this in mind; a large part of the program is a propaganda of patriotism; even the industrial exhibits themselves will be unmistakably in tune with the spirit of the times.

—It will indeed be a patriotic event, and worth coming to for that reason alone.

...tur Bids You Welcome, Through The Decatur Association of Commerce

A Call to Mobilization

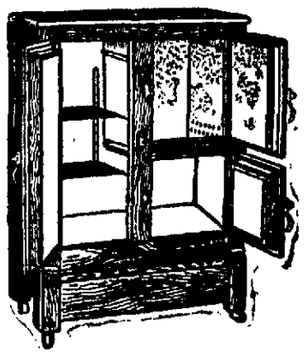
—Mobilize your summer needs now. Our suggestions of useful articles for hot weather are those of real merit.

$24 Gurney Refrigerators for the Economical

The economical will find their ideal in the Gurney refrigerator. It contains many features that practical use and science have stamped with approval.

Medium sized Gurney refrigerator, top icing—enameled lining—holds 50 lbs. ice—light golden oak finish—2 adjustable wire shelves at only $24.00. A beautiful golden oak Gurney Refrigerator—holds 75 pounds ice—two adjustable wire shelves—"perfecetly sanitary" style—only

$28.00



Porch Swings

Each and every porch has it's problems for correct decoration, as it must be treated in harmony with it's surroundings. The Big Grey Store's stock of porch swings were bought with the idea in view of having a swing for every requirement. Our display enables you to make a selection at a price you can afford to pay, priced upwards from

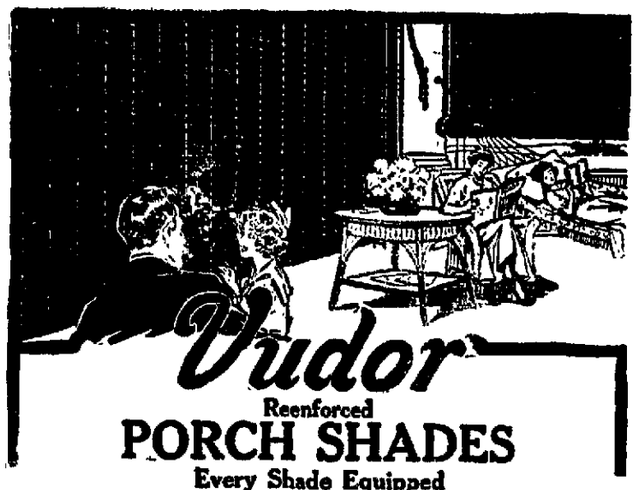
$2.48

An excellent value in a porch swing, made of carefully selected hardwoods, light oak or fumed finish, five feet long—just as illustratel, only

$5.50

An exceptional value at price, 4 feet long—fumed finish—just like cut, priced at only—

$3.75



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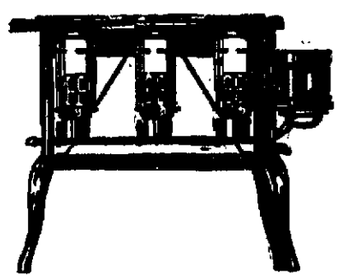
PORCH SHADES
Every Shade Equipped with
Vudor Safety Wind Device
Over 600,000 Vudors in daily use

Vudor Porch shades are the shades for the economical—they give the best possible service.

4 ft x 7½ ft.....$ 2.75	8 ft x 7½ ft.....$ 6.00
5 ft x 7½ ft.....$ 3.75	9 ft x 7½ ft.....$ 7.25
6 ft x 7½ ft.....$ 4.50	10 ft x 7½ ft.....$ 8.00
7 ft x 7½ ft.....$ 5.50	12 ft x 7½ ft.....$10.00

Keep the Kitchen Cool



The new perfection oil stove has been long and favorably known. The popular three burner style — with new, up-to-date features at only

$18

The same style with four burners at only $23.00

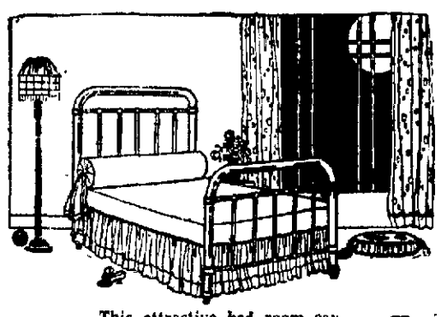
The Quick Meal

Three-Burner Without Shelf, $19.80

The Quick Meal has become so well known to the housewives of the United States that it is easily the best seller of them all. Investigate its merits and you will see that it is very reasonably priced.

Two-Burner Without Shelf, $14.75.

A two-burner Quick Meal, without high shelf—with glass reservoir—safety devices—



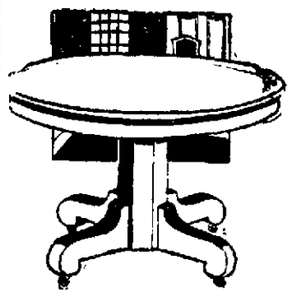
Lamp $19.50

This attractive bed room can be fitted up with the various draperies of Bachman Bros. & Martin Co. quality—a Vernis Martin bed and stand lamp—all very reasonably priced ...

Bed $19.50

Bachman Bros & Martin Co.

TODAY, we again honor those who have carried the Star Spangled Banner, the most beautiful flag in the whole world, to victory. Those grand old men gave up all they held most dear in the entire world—friends—home family ties—and many even gave life itself, that the flag should float in the breeze where men were free. As we give honor to them, their sons and daughters and their children are answering the call of their country that men again may be free. Not only one race of men, but men of many races and tongues, are looking to "Old Glory" to deliver them from a threatening bondage that would be worse than death. The power behind that bondage has insulted and ridiculed our flag, which would cause these grand old men, whom we honor, to turn in their graves were not their children ready to revenge the insult. Let us honor these men today, with the determination to carry their flag and our flag to victory that liberty may overspread the earth.



Dining Tables

The greatest range in styles are shown by the Big Grey Store this season. In the fumed oak we show a very excellent value in a 6 ft.x45 in. round pedestal, quarter sawed oak dining table at only

$15.25

Specials

Among the appropriate presents for the June Bride, our golden oak Buffet with French plate mirror, quarter sawed oak construction—3 drawers and linen compartment at only

$20.50

Telephone Stand and Chair

You will be delighted with the telephone sets shown by the Big Grey Store. A fumed oak Telephone Stand and Chair, very substantially made, in fact you will wonder how we can sell it at the price of

$6.25

Awnings

Improve the appearance of your home with the Big Grey Store's Awnings, and keep it cool at the same time. An excellent quality of stock Awnings in 30-in. to 40-in. sizes, complete at

$1.75

SPORTS

SUMMARY OF SPORTS NEWS

Chicago, May 30.—Jack Dempsey knocked out Arthur Pelkey in the first round of a scheduled 15 round bout at Denver.

Pit, Jr., a six year old gelding, made a new American record of 1 41 3-5 for one mile and seventy yards at the Douglas park track.

Harry Greb bested Soldier Bartfield in 14 of fifteen rounds at Toledo by the popular verdict.

One mile naval relay race added to western conference outdoor track meet program for June at the University of Chicago.

Iowa university team captains were elected as follows Baseball, Homes S. Brown, track, Glen Greenwood, basketball Clifford B Berrien, football, Roland G Reed.

"Dick" Rudolph holdout pitcher of the Boston Nationals reached an agreement with the club management as to salary.

Sioux City business men purchased the baseball team and the Western league franchise therefore not be transferred to Peoria.

I. T. S. TEAM DEFEATS STALEY'S

COMMERCIAL LEAGUE STANDING

	W.	L.	Pct
Wab Car Shops	1	0	1 000
Wabash Clerks	1	0	1 000
Muellers	1	0	1 000
National Gro	1	0	500
Staley	1	1	500
I T S	1	1	500
Decatur Bridge	0	1	000
Herald	0	1	000
Wab Loco Shops	0	1	000

The I T S team defeated the Staley Commercial League team in a hard fought contest Wednesday night 4 to 2 in seven innings Both pitchers Rushing for the winners and Smith for the losers twirled a pretty article of ball and each was touched for five hits The score by innings follows

		RHE
I T S	1 0 1 1 0 0 1—4 5 2	
Staley	0 0 0 1 1 0 0—2 5 3	

Batteries—Rushing and Cramer Smith and Querrey

W. ZBYSZKO IS HELD IN CUSTODY

New York, May 30—The report that Waldek Zbyszko Polish wrestler claimant for the heavy weight championship of the world is held in custody on Ellis Island was confirmed today by the federal authorities here Zbyszko, it was stated is detained under the United States immigration law

It was announced that the wrestler had been arrested in Boston by United States military intelligence officers, but this was denied by immigration superintendent Baker

Zbyszko is said to have endeavored to enlist in various branches of the service but was rejected because of defective hearing He has a brother Stanislaus also a wrestler reported to be a prisoner in Germany because of pro-Ally sentiments

PROGRESS OF THE PENNANT RACES

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Club—	Won	Lost	Pct
Boston	24	13	649
New York	21	15	581
Cleveland	20	17	541
St Louis	17	15	531
Chicago	15	15	500
Philadelphia	14	20	412
Washington	15	22	405
Detroit	10	19	345

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Club—	Won	Lost	Pct
New York	23	11	676
Chicago	22	11	667
Cincinnati	20	17	541
Pittsburgh	15	16	484
Philadelphia	15	18	455
Boston	16	20	444
Brooklyn	13	22	371
St Louis	12	21	364

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

American League

Open date for St Louis and Chicago
New York 7 Philadelphia 2 Second game New York 12 Philadelphia 1
Boston 4 Washington 2 Second game Boston 3 Washington 0
Cleveland 7 Detroit 1 (6 innings called on account of rain)

National League

St Louis-Pittsburgh game postponed on account of rain
Cincinnati Chicago games postponed on account of wet grounds
Boston 5 Brooklyn 2 Second game Brooklyn 7 Boston 0
Philadelphia 5 New York 2

TODAY'S GAMES

National League

Cincinnati at Chicago (two games) cloudy 10 30 a m and 3 p m
Boston at Brooklyn (two games) rain 1 30 p m
St Louis at Pittsburgh (two games) cloudy 10 15 a m and 3 p m
New York at Philadelphia (two games) rain 10 15 a m and 3 p m

American League

Philadelphia at New York (two games) rain 1 30 p m
Washington at Boston (two games) cloudy 10 30 a m and 3 p m
St Louis at Detroit (two games) rain, 10 30 a m. and 3 30 p m
Chicago at Cleveland (two games) rain 10 a m and 3 p m

American Association

Toledo at Columbus (two games) cloudy, 10 30 a m and 3 30 p m
Louisville at Indianapolis (two games) clear 2 p m
Milwaukee at Kansas City (two games) clear 2 p m
Minneapolis at St Paul rain 4 p m
St Paul at Minneapolis rain 7 p m

PHILLIES BEAT GIANTS AGAIN

Philadelphia Pa May 30—Bunching hits in the seventh inning yesterday Philadelphia defeated New York today 5 to 2 after the Giants had held the lead from the start Pendergast kept the hits scattered after the second inning and had great control

Letters to Illini.

Champaign May 30—Ten Illini ball players were awarded varsity initials last night Captain Klein, Wrobke, Ingwersen Barklage, Krupar Lalor Doss, Haas Kissinger and Kopp

Fracturing training regulations deprived another player of the honor Captain Klein who received the conference medal for scholarship and athletic prowess, will enter the navy as soon as he gaduates in June

125 BOYS SEE CARNIVAL SHOWS

Newsies and Carriers Enjoy Performances.

About 125 of us newsboys and carriers from The Review went out to see the Allen carnival last night said Arnold, the newsboy Thursday, "And so, bo, we sure did have a good time. They threw open the whole doggoned place to us and we saw all the shows and everything

"All us kids wore white badges and there wasn't nothing too good for us, believe me bo We took in a show and ate ice cream cones and then took in another show and drank lemonade and so on all evening We went into the 'Over the Top' show and that was great We didn't know whether we were standing up or sitting down It all ended with a big slide to the bottom Believe me bo we sure had some fun

ADMIRED MONKEYS

Then we saw the monkey speedway Those were some monks, believe me I'll say they were You know mister, those monks got right up on the automobiles and raced around the speedway and they started and stopped their own cars Ain't that going some" Believe me bo we sure enjoyed it Then we went to the 'Barrel of Fun show where you sit still and the walls and ceiling revolve around That sure did scare me at first but when I got used to it I sure did laugh at the other kids believe me

Any time I get a chance to go to the carnival I sure am going believe me bo

PARADE A FEATURE

One of Wednesday nights's carnival features was the big parade staged by the Decatur Moose lodge The Moose drill team in full uniform took part and made a fine showing Manager Allen of the carnival says labor is a mighty scarce article at present He is short about twenty men most of the time

Roach Meeting Postponed.

The meeting of the Roach school Mothers' club Wednesday afternoon for the election of officers was postponed until a week from Friday

BOODY.

Mr and Mrs J L Nolle and daughter Gladys visited in Decatur Sunday with J L Sanders and family

Mrs Anna Wood and Mrs Deel and little daughter Ruby of Decatur vi ... with Mrs Sarah Burke Friday

Miss Genieva Nientker and Ralph Hummel of Decatur were guests Sunday of J R Wise and wife

Mr and Mrs R A Thornell spent Sunday at Harristown with R S roggins and wife

Miss Clara Harvey visited at La Place last week with Miss Jennie Calhoun

Miss Jennie Calhoun of La Place is here visiting friends

J A Paton is improving slowly

John Staab and family of Moweaqua were here Wednesday

MEMORIAL DAY PROGRAM AT PANA

Pana, May 30—Memorial day was generally observed in Pana today A program was given at the First Methodist church as follows

Address—"America" Rev W A Fuson

Reading—"First Orders for Memorial Day" and Mr Lincoln's address at Gettysburg W M Baldwin

Song—"Keep the Home Fires Burning" Mrs Julius Schneider

Address—Rev W. C Meeker

Song—A Thousand Years Miss Jennie Simpson and chorus

A large crowd attended the services and many were at the cemetery most of the day Business was suspended throughout the day at the banks and dry goods stores The other lines of business suspended at noon

FUNERAL OF MISS BAILEY

The funeral of Miss Laura Bailey was held Thursday forenoon at 10 30 at the Bailey residence, south of Rosemond Rev Jeanette Ferris of the Congregational church in Rosemond officiated Burial was in Rosemond Grove cemetery

BERRIES 15 CENTS QUART

Strawberries were retailing for 15c a quart Wednesday and were of fine variety

A class of 75 pupils were graduated Wednesday from the eighth grade of the public schools, and were promoted to the Pana township high schools Rev W B Hopper of Sullivan delivered the commencement address He is pastor of the Sullivan Christian church

Rev A W Fruechte the new pastor for St John's German Evangelical church with Mrs Fruechte from Quincy has arrived in Pana They were accompanied by their little niece Clara Ball and Mrs Camiel Refolr of Donnellson Ia The trip from Quincy to Pana was made in their automobile

Mrs A J Leslie of Ziegler who has been here visiting has gone to St Louis to visit relatives

Mrs F Stancliff who has been here on account of the illness of her mother Mrs Ramsey left Wednesday for her home in Chicago Her mother is somewhat improved

MRS JULIA KERN DEAD

Mrs Julia Kern aged wife of Frank Kern died at the Huber Memorial hospital Wednesday She was a resident of Nokomis but formerly lived in Pana Her mother Mrs Julia Miller resides in Pana on North Walnut street and the body was removed to the home of the mother to await the hour of the funeral the arrangements for which are not completed

Mrs. Margaret Little of Chicago, is a guest of Mr and Mrs John Stanton

Mr and Mrs George Gillespie have returned to St Louis after a visit here

C E Rodgers went to Detroit Monday and will drive back with a new car

Miss Lillian Rich has returned from a visit to Clarksburg

Mr and Mrs Anton Kollar have been guests of their daughter Mrs Rose Adelspacher who has been seriously ill but is now improved

Mrs Mary Lowe was in St Louis the first of the week to visit friends She returned to Pana Wednesday

William Harrison was in Shelbyville Wednesday

Mr and Mrs A F McEwen of Litchfield were here Wednesday and Thursday visiting Mr and Mrs Thomas Crowner

Mr and Mrs I D Morrison of Cleveland O are here visiting relatives

Mrs Goodall and daughter Mrs Anna Metzger are visiting in Assumption

Mr and Mrs C I Marty visited in Vandalia on Decoration day

Clyde Hoyt a former Illinois Central brakeman was here Wednesday from Camp Dodge Ia He is on a brief furlough

Mr and Mrs Robert Kennedy of Ohlman were here Wednesday to visit their son Ira Kennedy

James Blakely a farmer of south of Millersville is ill with the smallpox At least twenty-five people visited at his home and were exposed to the disease before the nature of it was discovered All are to be forced to be vaccinated

W E Hess is making improvements at his undertaking parlors and having the exterior of the building repainted

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Mrs Wells and Miss Mabel Hinton were here Wednesday from Rosemond

Mr and Mrs E G Johnson and children are visiting in Louisville Ill with relatives

Mr and Mrs W J ... left overland Thursday for Louisville Ky to visit Mrs ... sons I W Randall at Camp Taylor and Charles Randall at West Point

Mrs H B Kirkpatrick and daughter Virginia went to Shelbyville Wednesday

Mrs Robert N... of Rosemond is in Blinksburg Ia to visit her daughter Mrs Jarmen wife of Dr Jarmen Dr Jarmen is to visit Chicago and take a special course in surgery and will then locate in Colorado

Mrs C J Barrett and daughter Myrtle ... have left for their home in Josephine Mont They were guests while here of Mrs Barnett's parents Mr and Mrs Dan Cameron

Samuel Hill a railroad section employe struck his foot with an adz Wednesday and inflicted a wound that will cripple him for a week or ten days

Mrs George Baldwin entertained the ... music ... department of the Woman's club Wednesday afternoon It was the final meeting of the season. A luncheon was served

Verne Thompson of Findlay who has been ill for a week at his home in that village was brought to the Huber Memorial hospital Wednesday for an operation His condition is considered serious Mr Thompson is section foreman of the C & E I at Findlay

Mike Kacsir, a youth employed in the Penwell mine had his left wrist fractured while on duty in the mine yesterday

Mrs Sadie Peters received a card Wednesday morning announcing the safe arrival in France of her son John Peters, who enlisted last fall with Co H at Shelbyville.

Mrs Ira Burlingame and daughter Katherine of St Louis are here for a visit with C N Eichelberger and Miss Minnie Eichelberger brother and sister of Mrs Burlingame

John Trummer a miner at Penwell mine suffered with a severe scalp wound received while at work by a fall of coal

A conference of chautauqua managers was held here Tuesday in a session held by the Pana Chautauqua board The boards from the chautauquas at Taylorville Shelbyville, Hillsboro Sharpsburg and Lithia Springs had representatives present The main topic considered was the advance made necessary this season in the price of admissions Because of the war tax a slight increase is to be made in the price of season tickets and single admissions

Mrs J J Holliday stenographer at Downs garage has returned to Chicago where she accompanied her husband the first of the week on his journey to join the drafted men of this city Mr Holliday came down from Chicago two weeks ago to visit his wife before entering the army Mrs Holliday who was before her marriage Miss Elizabeth Cameron retained her position here since her marriage last fall as she knew Mr Holliday was subject to call any time

George Scott of San Jose visited here Tuesday to bid farewell to his friends here before leaving for army service He left with a Chicago contingent ... having registered while in the postal service at the terminal in that city He is a member of the Masonic lodge in this city and at one time was employed as postal clerk on the ... & E I on the Pana Chicago division

Earl Grimes a Nokomis young man who passed through Pana Wednesday with a contingent of drafted men from Hillsboro enroute to Fort Thomas Ky had a most narrow escape from injury or possibly death when he fell from the train at Pana Mr Grimes was engaged in passing his hat asking for a contribution to provide tobacco for the crowd and got off the train here on this errand

He carelessly did not try to board the train until it was in motion He fell but retained his hold on the railing of the coach and was dragged twenty five feet It looked ... to the ... witnesses the accident as if he would be hurled under the wheels of the train Several of his comrades were at the entrance to the coach and some down on the steps Two of them managed to give Grimes assistance and pull him to a place of safety He held onto his hat but lost a portion of the money donated to him which was mostly in nickles and dimes Joseph Baybill chief of police gathered up the coin and will turn it over to Grimes by mail if his address can be secured As the train did not stop after the accident it was not learned if Grimes was injured by the fall but from appearances he must have sustained a number of bruises

Little interest was manifested in the primary judicial election held here Tuesday and the vote cast was exceedingly light J W Preihs candidate on the Democratic ticket for judge of the Pana city court also James Corman candidate for clerk of the city court on the same ticket had no opposition On the Republican ticket Judge J H Fornoff was candidate for reelection to the judgeship but there were three candidates for city court clerk G W Marsland Edward Simmons and Christian Hils Marsland was nominated

Mrs Lera Rhodes of La Salle is here visiting relatives

Mrs Nick Mosey and daughter of Owaneco visited here Wednesday

Hert Barnstille of Nokomis visited his wife here Wednesday She is a patient at the Huber Memorial hospital

Mrs Alex Rollo of this city has been informed of the death of her brother Alex Laing in action with the British army in France Mrs Rollo's relatives reside in Scotland She lost an elder brother in the Boer war and has another brother now at the front

Mr and Mrs Abe Gorlan are in receipt of a letter from their son Sergeant Carter Gorlan from France The letter came on May 28 just a year from the day he enlisted He has been in France over nine months and writes he is enjoying the most remarkable health visiting his father ... Parton and other relatives left Thursday night for Dayton Ohio He is Sergeant in the 260th Aero Squadron

Judge George A Sentel held an adjourned session of court Monday, May 27 to hear the Carroll-Gigney will case This case has been tried in this court before but this new trial was granted owing to some errors made in the instructions to the jury The case grows out of the will of Mr Carroll and cutting out the two grand daughters The jury was secured Monday afternoon and a night session was held Tuesday when the proponents finished their side of the case

Oscar H Gulliford of Bement will be inducted into military service Saturday June 1 and will be sent to Camp Dix Wrightstown N J Gulliford is a Class 2 man but volunteered for the special call for one railroad flagman and his application was accepted He has been flagman with the Wabash railroad

The Modern Woodmen and Royal Neighbors will hold their annual Memorial services Sunday afternoon at the Presbyterian church at 2 o'clock Rev J J Gilbert will deliver the address

Kenneth Bryden left Wednesday afternoon for Denver Colo where he will spend the summer

Reports Theft of His Rig.

Clyde Miller of Harristown tied his small bay horse and top buggy near the carnival ground Wednesday night Shortly after midnight he reported to the police that the rig had been stolen The horse had one white foot

BRIEF NEWS OF MONTICELLO FOLK

Monticello May 30—Lynn Parton who has been here for the past week

TODAY
AMERICAN
ANITA STEWART
—IN—
"The Message of The Mouse"
A Blue Ribbon and A 2 Part L-KO Comedy
7 Reels 5c and 10c
Tomorrow—William Farnum in "When a Man Sees Red."

WILLIAM FARNUM
DIRECTION WILLIAM FOX
TODAY ONLY
WILLIAM FARNUM
—IN—
THE PRICE OF SILENCE
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LAST TIME TODAY
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TURN THE TABLES.

Wednesday morning it was announced from London and Paris that General Foch expected to have the latest German drive stopped within forty-eight hours. He was getting his reinforcements to the Aisne sectory, and all he needed to stop the Germans was something like an equal number of men.

Again in the story of this drive we read that at many points the Allies were confronted with ten times their own number of men. It is some more of the old story that tells of an advantage possessed by the attacking force; this advantage is something the Germans are working for all there is in it this spring.

And again one is reminded that those attacked have to pay a rather heavy penalty. This time it is told 25,000 prisoners were captured by the Germans in the first day of the fighting. That is a good many men to lose in that way. The figure isn't at all as big as that turned in after the first two days of the Hindenburg drive, but yet it remains too large for comfort.

One wonders if we accounted for an equal number of Germans in the first two days of this latest drive. Also, did we get as many from the Germans as we lost in the first big drive? One is unable to answer these questions satisfactorily.

We are told that in the first drive the Germans had let up because of their great losses; but there are other observers who tell that the Germans then let up to get time to bring up their artillery. We would like to know who is right about this

This time General Foch is booked to make extensive use of his reserves. This means he will get an equal number of men to oppose Germans along the Aisne and the Vesle rivers. We are hoping that while he is at it he will bring up a superior force and thus make the Germans pay a double price for what they have attempted.

One of these fine days we want a story to come that will tell that General Foch's finest strategy in Europe has at last put the Germans into a deadly trap.

OTHER WORK TO BE DONE.

Many are beginning to suspect there isn't as much variety in Col. Roosevelt as the times demand. For a long time we heard he was a man of many fronts, all of them good; they told us he could easily fit into almost any situation that might come along.

He must have lost some of that gentle knack. One evening this week he made a speech at Madison, Wis., and his advertised purpose was to help along the cause of the war. And what was the burden of the message of boost and cheer that he brought along for this occasion?

Perhaps you can guess the first time. He complained because we did not begin to prepare for war three or four years earlier. He rang all his well known changes and variations on this theme. He has developed this story until it wears an air of mourning and tragedy all the way through—perhaps in its way and class it should be regarded as a masterpiece. If Jeremiads are what you are looking for, the Colonel has one that surely should come up to all your demands.

But you don't want that kind of thing all the time, and one suspects the country is ready to hear the colonel in some other strain. Let us hope he will change the tune, for he can prove an interesting man if only we can get him started on another strain.

One may be willing to admit that it would be much better for us now if we had taken on military preparation earlier. Possibly you are ready to subscribe to all the Colonel has to say on the point.

But you don't want to put in the rest of your life worrying over that. We did not prepare three years earlier, and that is about all there is to that end of the story. That is water that has run past the mill wheel, and we can't use it now except to drown ourselves. This we don't want to do, for there is better work ahead.

The thing now is to hurry along preparation and to make it as thorough as possible, to induce everybody to turn in and lend a full hand. One would like to hear from the Colonel on this. He can save his wailings until after the war is over, when possibly he can get an audience who will be entertained by his recital. But at this time there is something else that must be done

ONE EXPRESS COMPANY.

Beginning the first of July, we are to have one express company in the United States. It will be a merger of the numerous companies we now have This is considered all right at such a time as this, and it has approval of the powers in Washington.

This indicates that war makes a big difference in the working of what we call our thinking machinery. Had such a proposal been made two or three years ago the sheriff would have been asked to go out and gather in a half dozen magnates and keep them within reach of the grand jury.

And yet the merger of these express companies strikes one in his war sense as a sensible proceeding. It is pointed out that great economies can be effected The work can be done just as well by one big company as by a half dozen small ones

And in this there is no chance for the merged company to soak the public It happens that express companies do not control the charges they make for their service. Some time since this control was taken over and lodged in governmental agencies The public did the controlling, and it did it a trifle too drastically, just as it did with the railroads.

We are told that big economies will be possible by having these many express companies merged, and we can easily see and understand that slant of the thing. But at the same time it is mentioned there will be an effort to increase the rates This is a combination that will puzzle the bewildered victim.

If the merged company gets an increase in rates it will be because war is on. Half the total receipts will be paid over to the railroads, which are now a government venture. Possibly this will incline the government to view the increase favorably.

But there will be none of this after the war is done and the railroads go back to their owners It is then that rate control will be applied in the interest of the public, and, judging from the past, we can be sure the application will be sufficiently severe

WANTS BAND MUSIC.

A Subscriber writes to make a few remarks about the kind of music to be employed at the station in Decatur when we are seeing soldiers away. He has doubts about the effectiveness of vocal quartets on such an occasion. He makes the suggestion that it is hard to find anything else that will take the place of band music.

The vocal quartet or little chorus is all right in its place. If you are one of the singers you can perhaps manage to have a pretty fair time; if you are among spectators and audience on an occasion when there is something doing you will probably find yourself longing for something else in music.

Subscriber is scoring mighty close to the bull's eye when he writes: "Band music, I think, is the proper music to arouse the spirit of patriotism and enthuse the men on their journey.

There is a good deal in what he says. These departures from the station are outdoor affairs, and how are you to beat the brass band on such an occasion? There isn't anything else that seems to fill the bill. Anyhow, subscriber says he is of draft age and expects to leave soon for a training camp; he feels that when it comes his time to start he will prefer to be cheered by a band. Probably most of the boys feel like him.

PLAYED OUT.

It seems that some German soldiers complained because they were fired on after they had thrown up their hands and had called "Kamerad" in token of surrender.

General Pershing explains that it has become an overworked device of the Huns to go through some of the motions of surrendering, and just before the finish they use it to kill some of our men. It is one of the dirty little tricks of warfare that they have come too look on as honorable, anything to deceive our boys and then kill them. Of course after going this they laugh at our boys for being slow-witted.

So you need not wonder that the "Kamerad" cry has played itself out. And you don't have to make any apologies for this. The wonder is that Germans were allowed to employ this device as long as they did. If we are due to make an apology it is because we permitted them to repeat that trick; once should have been enough.

If next winter you put up a complaint that you are out of coal and that your home is cold, you will find you are not able to warm yourself with the sympathy that will be extended.

More of the boys start for camp tonight. We want those who are now over there to understand that support is to be forwarded to them righ along until the job is finished.

A naval officer in Washington was found to have a ton and a half of sugar stored in the basement of his home. He must have figured this war will last a hundred years.

Fulton DeForest says that he is now able to talk French "like a wildcat." Even at that we are not sure we shall be able to understand him.

Showers that spoil a new shoe shine and don't wet the earth are a nuisance with trimmings.

Many people will now proceed to spoil strawberries by canning them.

Ten Years Ago Today In Decatur

MAY 30, 1908.

Miss Grace Allen and Robert C. Doaks were married at the bride's home, 722 West Eldorado.

Rev. George P. Hester was the Memorial day speaker for the annual G. A. R exercises

The Y. W. C. A. campaign fund for $50,000 had reached over $21,000.

The Decatur Brewing company's temperance beer was gaining fame over the country and many brewers were making inquiry about it.

Engineer D. W. Mead recommended to the city council that an intercepting sewer be built in Riverside and Oklahoma to protect the city water supply.

Fire Chief C W. Devore recommended the erection of two new fire houses.

Miss Lela Hughey and Mabel Fletcher entertained other teachers of the Durfee school at Wilson's park as a farewell as the two were planning to go to the U. of I the next year.

There were 801 babies in Scovill's baby contest First prize went to Evelyn Ireland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Ireland, 436 West Wood

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY.

Some one entered the pantry of the home of C. E. Johnson and took $30

There was a profusion of flowers for decorating soldiers' graves and the W. R. C. decorating committee was not stinted.

W. L. Fergusen was presented with a gold headed cane by employes of the street car company.

Mrs. George A. Keller jumped from the two story window of her burning home on Spring avenue and was badly hurt. Fire in the rear of the house cut off all other means of escape

Superintendent E. A. Gastman wanted an assembly room at the high school to seat between 800 and 1,000 people.

This Day In Illinois History

May 30, 1864—Good corn sold in Springfield as low as 60c a bushel.

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ONE EXPRESS OFFICE IN TOWN

Probable Local Result of Consolidation.

Local express agents have had no official word of the taking over of the express companies by the government They are not surprised and they are not sorry that it has come about. If there is a hell on earth it has been the express agent's job for the last several months

"We are curious to know what the government will do with us that's all," said one agent today. "The situation all along has seemed to be as bad as it could be but it is getting worse all the time. Nothing worse can happen under government control. We expect some instructions as to the new arrangement in a few days."

There will be only one express office up town, is the opinion of the local express agents. If the express business is to be all under one management it is practically certain that it will all be handled from one office. No body of course knows what office this will be or w o will be the agent. It is possible that more room and a larger office will be required.

It is expected that all of the depot offices will be continued. This arrangement will be maintained as long as the railroads are operated from several stations.

JOB OF AGENT.

The job of express agent in Decatur used to be a position of a good deal of dignity. Now it is a matter of plain work. The agent is often obliged to go to the railroad stations and hustle freight. He frequently works all day in the office and half the night at the railroad station. It is a matter of getting things done somehow. "Working shorthanded and with an abnormal amount of business the railroads are rawhiding us on one hand and the shippers on the other. The express agent's job has degenerated into a dog's life and we shall be glad if the government can do any thing to relieve it," said one agent.

Biddy Bye's Good Form

It is a breach of etiquet for an employe to call a business man on the phone at his home, except upon a matter of the utmost importance, perhaps one which will mean a financial loss, if the employer is not notified

FINE PROGRAM AT UNIVERSITY

Music Diplomas and Certificates Awarded.

In spite of the extreme sultriness of the evening a large audience assembled to hear one of the best programs ever given by a diploma class of the Millikin Conservatory of Music at the University Wednesday night.

The four senior students who participated in the program were Misses Wilna Moffett, Ruth Muir, Florence Willis and Florence Brown. They were assisted in the program by Miss Helen Crossman, soprano, pupil of W. B. Olds and Miss Beatrice Fagan, contralto, pupil of Miss Rose Borch.

The program given by graduates gave an opportunity to show their skill in technique as well as in their ideas of interpretation of the composers whose works they gave.

Miss Muir opened the program with Weber's "Perpetual Motion" and followed that with "The Gumsuckers March," a novelty piece in fantastic rythm written by the Australian composer Grainger.

Miss Grossman accompanied by Miss Moffett, then sang "I am Titania" from the Ambroise Thomas "Mignon"

TWO SISTERS PLAY.

Miss Florence Brown in her brilliant playing of the Fantasia of Faust themes by Sarasate was most ably supported by her sister Miss Ruth Brown.

Miss Florence Willis played Liszt's "Forest Murmurs" and the "Caprice Burlesque" by Grabilowitsch Miss Willis is a graduate in both pipe organ and piano playing and her work on these two difficult compositions was most excellent.

Miss Beatrice Fagan sang the well known "L'insana parola" from "Aida" in her usual splendid manner She was accompanied by Miss Sylvia Fisk of the Conservatory of Music faculty.

Miss Wilna Moffatt played the Arabesque on the Blue Danuba waltz themes in a brilliant and beautiful manner with a finish and touch which gave a perfect rendition to one of the best of the world's melodic themes.

At the conclusion of the program Director M L Swarthout gave some interesting figures about the work of the conservatory during its years of existence.

The music school of the university has, during its fifteen years of life, had nearly 5,000 students, 4,689 to be exact, 371 certificates have been awarded, seven diplomas have been given and four students have taken the full literary-musical course of the university.

The director commended highly the work by the students just receiving their diplomas but suggested that in music the student never completes his course. There is always still much to be gained by study and application.

SOLDIERS LIVE IN THE CELLARS

To Avoid Shell Fire, Writes John Hayes.

In a letter from the advanced dressing post in France where he is stationed in what was once a fine old chateau, Dr. John M. Hayes writes to his relatives in Decatur of the quarters which the men now occupy.

The men stay in the basement of the building which has been practically wrecked by gun fire and the soldiers have Brussels carpets on the cellar floors, fine tapestries are used for dividing the sleeping part of the cellar from the living rooms, and fine mirrors and fine furniture which would have been destroyed in the upper parts of the building, have been removed to the basement where the men live.

The Decatur doctor is in what was once a town of 5,000 but he doubts if half a dozen of the original families now remain. The soldiers all live in the cellars as it is safer there than on the surface.

FEW VACATIONS.

All leaves of absences had been cancelled some time before the doctor wrote and he believes that there will be few vacations this summer as he anticipates many months of vigorous fighting.

Dr. Hayes speaks of the number of rainy days but says that at the advanced posts rain and darkness mean that there is less of shot and shell while bright moonlight nights and clear days mean a recurrence of battle and therefore more work for the medical men.

He seems to be stationed close to the big guns and says that he has been under fire so much that he considers himself quite a veteran by this time.

The roar of the big guns is so severe that, he says, the ears sometimes rebel and pain the men He expresses gratification at the reports, which are coming to him of the work of the Americans at the front

NEVER PRETTIER AT THE CEMETERY

Warm Weather Brings Out Flowers of All Kinds.

Greenwood cemetery is unusually beautiful this spring. Wednesday it seemed that every flower of every kind in the cemetery had opened up during the night. The warm weather has brought the flowers out abundantly, and they are to be seen everywhere.

The grass is being cut in the cemetery for the third time this spring The graves as a rule have been well cared for, and the cemetery presents a fine appearance During the past week many persons have been putting their family lots in shape.

Charles Braden, custodian of the cemetery, has been handicapped this spring on account of a scarcity of help. With the big demand for farm hands and the large number of men being called into the service it has at times been impossible to secure men to work in the cemetery.

The gates of the cemetery will be closed to all vehicles at noon Thursday, and will not again be thrown open to vehicles until after the memorial exercises.

To Fort Thomas.

Manuel McDaniel, son of Mrs. P H. Collins, 1244 East North street, leaves Springfield for Fort Thomas, Ky., by way of Cincinnati, Thursday. Mr. McDaniel formerly lived in Decatur, and was employed as a tinner at the Wabash.

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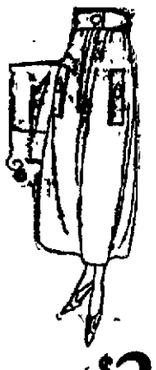

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36 SHELBYVILLE PUPILS GRADUATED

Large Crowd Attends Commencement Exercises.

Shelbyville, May 30.—The annual commencement exercises of the Shelbyville high school were held in the high school auditorium at 8 o'clock Wednesday evening. A large crowd attended.

Thirty-six young men and women were graduated from the four-years course, receiving diplomas from the hand of Superintendent William Harris, as a feature of an interesting program, the numbers of which were as follows:

March—Miss Lorna Tallman.
Invocation—Rev. John A. Tracy.
Duet, "Alsace-Lorraine" — Miss Maurine Parrish, Miss Ruby Turney.
"Optimism of War"—Miss Mary Righter.
Solo, "When You Are The World to Me"—Edgar Runkle.
"Our Merchant Marine"—James Hardin.
"Camouflage"—Miss Lola Pitser.
Class Song—Senior class.
Presentation of Diplomas—Superintendent William Harris.
Benediction—Rev. J. E. Kieffer.

MEMBERS OF CLASS.

The members of the class of 1918 are: Agnes Hawk, Edyth June Meyers, Edgar B. Eversole, Viola Philamine Domas, Beulah Ruthven Knecht, William H. Whitaker, Verna A. Banks, Maurine G. Parrish, Opal Morgan, Arnold H. Beem, Tressie Marie Sexson, Geneva L. Klauser, R. Ralph Hubner, Vivian Sisemore, Agnes R. Auld, G. Irene Heinz, James R. Eddy, James Good, Chloateel Kelley, Walter U. Miller, J. Floyd Trout, Mary Y. Righter, Sylvia L. Henne, James E. Harden, Ruby E. Turney, Mabel McCoy, L. Helen Lindsey, Lola M. Pitser, Gladys Jackson, Emmett C. Beem, Enos G. Huffer, Carl F. Morehead, Mary L. Jenkins, Geneva Stewardson, James Edwin Fritts, M. Porta Walker.

EIGHT GRADE GRADUATION

Twenty-seven girls and boys were graduated from the eighth grade in appropriate exercises in the assembly room of the Main street school building Wednesday afternoon. The graduates include:

Zola Barden, Ruth Churchhill, Virginia Dove, Opal Hood, Mildred Jarnagin, Audrey Lee, Gladys Lee, Eithe Norton, Lela Niles, Neva Parker, Maud Peters, Clara Toothman, Gertrude Parker, Paul Allen, Ferrel Bryant, Robert Fritts, Orran Hooper, Theodore Kelley, Harold Metzler, Seldon Moberly, John McBride, Gerald Porter, Lloyd Perryman, Bennie Reeder, Gerald Tolen, Carl Tinsman, Nelson Earl.

With the completion of their work in the grades, the 27 young people are ready for the high school when the fall semester opens.

$15,000 FOR RED CROSS.

From reports received by John J. Ward, treasurer of the Shelby county Red Cross war fund, and computations available, it appears that about $15,000, or three-fifths of Shelby county's quota of $25,000, was raised in the Red Cross war fund drive last week. The reports are not complete, and it is expected that the total will be increased by a considerable sum. Even now the receipts from townships reporting are exceeding the amounts reported by the workers, yet there are some townships from which nothing at all has been received and some others from which the returns are very meager.

Shelbyville township's contributions exclusive of those made last Saturday, which are still undetermined, amount to about $3,200. An effort will be made to complete the township's quota, as soon as the exact shortage is definitely determined.

ARRIVE OVERSEAS.

A report circulated a week ago to the effect that Company H, 130th U. S. Infantry, composed chiefly of Shelbyville boys, had reached France, seems to have been a mistake, but communications received by numerous Shelbyville persons Wednesday morning indicate that now the boys have in fact reached their destination overseas safely.

Mrs. E. F. Auld received a message from her husband, Major F. P. Auld, saying "Arrived safely over seas." Dr. Auld added the further information that there were 5,000 men aboard the transport which carried him.

H. D. Twiss also received a card from his son, Lieut. Chas. Twiss, conveying the same information, and cards came also from Clete Henderson and others of the boys from this city.

Mrs. M. G. Coleman, wife of the pastor of the First Methodist church, was called to Litchfield Tuesday by the serious illness of her brother, J. W. Kirkpatrick.

Roy O'Brien, a Shelbyville registrant whose induction inton the military service was deferred recently, pending certain action by which he hoped to be able to get into the 327th Regiment, Field Artillery band at West Point, Ky., was inducted into the service by the local exemption board Thursday morning and sent to West Point. The transfer is made for the purpose of allowing him to get assignment to the band, of which Sergeant Birney E. Hite of this city already is a member.

Clete Owens, a Coles county registrant, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Mattie Shuck, in this city. He is to leave soon with a contingent of Coles county men for Camp Dix, Ga.

MACON.

Mrs. S. Kerr of Decatur, was a Macon visitor Friday.

William Rootser, who has been assisting T. B. Cox, agent at the Illinois Central station, is taking Mr. Tobin's place at Walker Station for a few weeks, while Mr. Tobin has a vacation.

Mrs. Karl Heever received word Saturday that her brother, Roscoe Wilking, had arrived safely in France.

Miss Velma Doolen of Decatur, spent the week end the guest of Miss Mary Whitaker.

Mrs. Aldredge Nichols and children of Fort Worth, Texas, arrived here Friday to visit relatives for several weeks.

John Wicker has purchased the dray line of Ora Langley, who expects to leave Thursday to enter training.

Mrs. R. Elliott and son Kinsel of Decatur, spent a few days this week the guests of Harold Elliott and family.

Mrs. Charles Metcalf, Mrs. Robert Cary, Misses Verne Taylor, Daisy Uphaus, S. Giles, W. C. Lindley and L. A. Nichols were among the Decatur visitors Saturday.

Willard Nichols, who is in training in the east, and his wife of Springfield, are visiting relatives in Macon while Mr. Nichols has a five days' furlough.

Miss Jessie Whitake of Decatur, spent the week-end with friends in Macon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Daggett received word Wednesday that their son Ora, had arrived safely in France.

J. J. Swarts of Decatur, was a Macon visitor Saturday.

Mrs. D. H. Clayson and Miss Addie Fry spent the week-end with relatives in Decatur.

Mrs. Everett Harlow was the guest of Miss Anna Craven in Decatur Thursday.

A. Daggett transacted business in Champaign Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. Callie Combs and son Edwin, of Decatur, spent the week-end with the formers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Nichols.

Andy Jackson and family left Tuesday for Hardy, Neb., where they will reside on a farm.

Mrs. Gordon, who is suffering from a broken hip, is reported not improving and owing to her advanced age, here recovery is doubtful.

H. French was in ecatur Monday.

Ed Carr was surprised by a number of relatives and friends Monday evening, May 27. The occasion was in honor of Mr. Carr's sixtieth birthday. The evening was spent in music and a social time, after which refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. All departed at a late hour wishing Mr. Carr many more returns of the day.

Mrs. Walter Glenn, Mrs. William Bunger, Misses Lennie Gehm and Elma Wicker were among the Decatur shoppers Wednesday.

Word has been received of the safe arrival of Fred Primm in France. He formerly assisted T. R. Cox at the I. C. station in this city.

MAROA.

Berry Ennis went to Chicago Sunday evening to bring back about fifteen boys to place on farms.

Newell Harris was home from Louisville, Ky., the first of the week.

Main street was oiled Tuesday and the other streets of the city will be oiled as soon as possible. The money for this purpose is raised by popular subscription.

Albert Riskind and family arrived here Tuesday from Eagle Pass, Texas, for a visit at their old home. Mr. Riskind will remain here and at Chicago only about thirty days, but the family will remain during most of the summer. Mr. Riskind was a former business man here.

Grady & Grady have leased the brick building owned by Mrs. Rose Miller and will move their real estate office there as soon as the room can be vacated by Mrs. Miller.

Sylvester Jones, who has been ill, is able to be out again.

The deal reported a few days ago of the sale of the residence property of J. M. Waller to D. N. Gray was not consummated as some of the heirs declined to sign the deed. The property was owned by Mrs. Waller, who died several years ago.

At the meeting of the city council Monday evening a new schedule of rates for city water was adopted which is a slight increase overt the present rates. The board also discussed the advisability of submitting to a vote of the people the proposition of increasing the tax rate for the current year for the purpose of building a concrete tower at the waterworks. The matter will be decided at a special meeting, probably next week. Fred M. Grady was appointed city attorney to succeed the late B. F. Shipley.

Glenn Shively Fined.

Glen Shively was arrested Wednesday for speeding. Justice Noble fined him $11.80.

Headache, Lumbago, Neuralgia Must Go

Rub on Mustarine and All Pains and Aches Must Go in a Few Minutes—In Half the Time it Takes Other Remedies.

STILL 25 CENTS A BOX.

Begy's Mustarine is the quickest pain killer on earth and everyone who has used it knows it. Why should anyone use slow acting liniments or weak salves when one application of Mustarine gives quick and real action.

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Sunrise Corn Meal

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Either white or yellow.

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Judging from the countless preparations and treatments which are continually being advertised for the purpose of making thin people fleshy, developing arms, neck and bust, and replacing ugly hollows and angles by the soft curved lines of health and beauty, there are evidently thousands of men and women who keenly feel their excessive thinness.

Thinness and weakness are usually due to starved nerves. Our bodies need more phosphate than is contained in modern foods. Physicians claim there is nothing that will supply this deficiency so well as the organic phosphate known among druggists as bitro-phosphate, which is inexpensive and is sold by Decatur Drug Co., and most all druggists under a guarantee of satisfaction or money back. By feeding the nerves directly and by supplying the body cells with the necessary phosphoric food elements, bitro-phosphate quickly produces a welcome transformation in the appearance; the increase in weight frequently being astonishing.

This increase in weight also carries with it a general improvement in the health. Nervousness, sleeplessness and lack of energy which nearly always accompany excessive thinness, soon disappear, dull eyes become bright, and pale cheeks glow with the bloom of perfect health.

CAUTION: — Although bitro-phosphate is unsurpassed for relieving nervousness, sleeplessness and general weakness it should not, owing to its remarkable flesh-growing properties, be used by anyone who does not desire to put on flesh.

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Upset Digestion, and Bad Digestion means Starving Nerves

Eupepsia TABLETS

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Strengthen the Stomach and Steady the Nerves
Price 50c
For Sale By the Decatur Drug Co.
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Ask any druggist for a 35c or $1 bottle of zemo and apply it as directed. Soon you will find that irritations, pimples, blackheads, eczema, blotches, ring worm and similar skin troubles will disappear.

A little zemo, the penetrating, satisfying liquid, is all that is needed, for it banishes most skin eruptions, makes the skin soft, smooth and healthy.

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People are surprised at the INSTANT action of simple buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., as mixed in Adler-i-ka. ONE SPOONFUL flushes the ENTIRE bowel tract so completely it relieves ANY CASE sour stomach, gas or constipation and prevents appendicitis. The INSTANT, pleasant action of Adler-i-ka surprises both doctors and patients. It removes foul matter which poisoned your stomach for months. The Decatur Drug Co.

Tomorrow the last day of The Aurora Stock Sales—

H. S. GEBHART CO.

Sale Opens at 9 A. M.

H. S. GEBHART CO.

Come Friday for draperies and floor-coverings.

Friday! A Month-End Clean-Up Sale

The Entire Store Brimming With Bargain Opportunities For the Thrifty

Closing Out REMNANTS And All Odd Lots

Sacrificing All Colored Wash Goods Remnants

—Included are good useful lengths of ginghams, crepes, printed voiles, wash suitings, Cuban silks, silk and cotton foulards, plain tint voiles; remnants accumulated during the past two weeks, therefore clean and seasonable. Come Friday, take choice.................... 25% Off

No Remnants Sold Before 9 a. m.

Silk Remnants—1/4 Off

—All remnants of fancy silks piled out on the counter for Friday clean-up. Many excellent garment lengths, all going at .... 25% Off

White Goods Remnants 1-2 Price

—One great big assortment of remnants of white dress materials accumulated during our heavy May sales; plain and novelty voiles, skirting weaves, linen finish suitings, dimities and many other kinds. All in one grand clean-up Friday............1/2 PRICE

Lace & Emb. Remnants-1/2 Price

—About 200 yards of remnants of laces and embroideries; a varied collection from all lines; all in good useful lengths. There'll be a crowd for these Friday, choice .... 1/2 Price

1/2 Price Sale—Neckwear

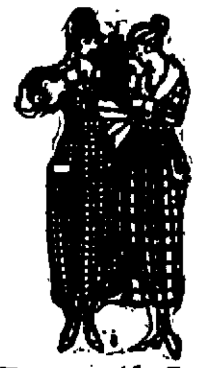
All the odd pieces from various lines are included in this sale

—Some of the most delightful styles of the season in collars of fine satin, georgette, sheer organdies, piques, laces and nets. Pieces that sold all the way from 50c to $1.50, going Friday at .. 1/2 Price

Art Goods—1-2 Price

—Quite a lot of odd pieces from our art goods section; stamped and finished scarfs, towels, pillows, etc. Choice Friday .... 1/2 Price

$3.50 Dresses Friday $1.95



—They're DECATUR - MAID DRESSES whose materials alone are worth all of the sale price asked.

—Some are of tissue ginghams, some of crepes and dimities; shown in dainty summery designs and colors and in styles suitable for home or street wear. Thrifty women will want three or four of these bargains Friday at choice $1.95.

$1.85 Sheets $1.48

81x90 heavy linen finish bed sheets, hand torn, ironed and hemmed; best $1.85 values, on sale, each $1.48

10 Yds. Muslin $1.95

Our best 25c grade of full bleached muslin—full yard in width; Friday's sale price 10 YARDS $1.95

75c Table Damask

10 pieces of our best 75c grade of bleached table damask—10 choice designs; Friday only, a yard 50c

Friday! the Last Day of the Sale of Aurora Stocks

One More Day of This Sale of The Stock of Aurora House Furn. Co 65c on The $

Room Rugs

—Imported 9x12 matting rugs; for bedrooms and dining rooms, reversible patterns; worth today $7.50. Friday only, each $4.75

Room Rugs

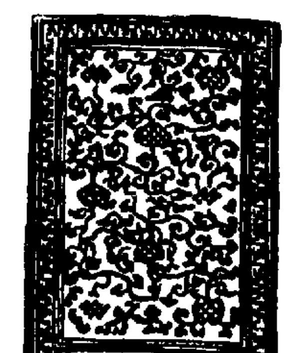
—50 wool fibre rugs; 9x12 and 8-3x10-6 sizes; reversible patterns; big selection; values to $15, for the last day at $10.95

Room Rugs

9x12 all-wool face Tapestry Brussels rugs in a number of choice colors and patterns; values to $27.50, for Friday at $19.50

Room Rugs

—9x12 extra heavy, super-quality, seamless Axminster rugs; actually worth $60 today; for the last time Friday, at $45



Last Day of Old Price on Neponset

Now 59c Sq. Yd. After June 1st 69c Sq. Yd.

—You who have bath-room, bed-room, dining-room or kitchen floors to cover had better pick your Neponset tomorrow.

—At it's new price, 69c a square yard, NEPONSET will still be the best thing obtainable in linoleum goods under $1 a yard. It's wear-proof, moisture-proof, does not curl or kick up; the most satisfactory floor-covering we have ever sold at or near this price.

Friday 59c Square Yd.

CURTAINS

From Aurora

150 pairs of scrim and marquisette curtains in white, ivory and ecru, with neat edgings, $2.50 curtains, Friday, pair ...$1.50

$2.00 Curtains, white and ivory scrims; 2 1/2 yards long; 75 pairs, Friday a pair only ..$1.25

35c Scrims and Silkolines, also voiles; a great miscellaneous lot; to clean up Friday, yard 19c

DOLLAR HAT SALE

Our first Dollar Hat Sale this season; the best one we ever announced; values up to $6 go Friday at choice, for $1

100 smart stylish dress and tailored street hats for women ,variously and becomingly shaped and trimmed, and about 75 cunning hats for little girls and misses. Women's hats of regular stock sold to $6 and children's hats to $3, on sale Friday, choice.......... $1

Remnants

Filet Nets and Madras Cloths—

29c Yd.

—You can use lots of these short ends; for small windows. Values up to 50c yd. at 29c.

Final Clean-up Men's Oxfords

$6 to $8 Values

$3.00

—Hurry men, or get left! If you wear 5 1/2 to 7 or 7 1/2 come Friday and get a pair of "Barry" or other fine makes of oxfords, real $6 to $8 values, $3.

$3.95 Silk Waists $2.95

—Tub silk waists of fetching styles in silks of fine texture these will stand the tubbing; shown in a variety of pretty stripes. Regular price $3.95. Friday's price, each $2.95

White wash waists Friday, special $1, $1.25, $1.50.

$1.00 Aprons For 89c

—A big tableful of these aprons. If you're wise you'll take two or three of them. Coverall bungalow styles, of blue chambray, blue percale and light checked and stripe percale. You could hardly buy the materials in any one of them at our special Friday price of 89c

15c Boys' Hose, 11c

Stout, wear-proof, course-ribbed stockings for boys; black only; the best on today's market at 15c pr. Friday, a pair 11c

Men's Athletic Union Suits

50c

—These knee length union suits for men, are made of fine nainsook; same grade selling everywhere at 95c or more. At Gebhart's Friday 50c suit.

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GREATER DECATUR'S GREATEST STORE

Society

MEMORIAL DAY AT COUNTRY CLUB

Flags and Flowers Decorated Tables.

WHILE no special Memorial day event has been planned for today at the Country club, quite a number of people will have dinner there this evening. About forty have sent in their names for the dinner.

In honor of the day garden flowers and flags will decorate the tables and an excellent dinner will be served.

Miss Ruth Culver and sister Mrs David Shellabarger will entertain a few friends informally Friday afternoon at Mrs Shellabarger's home in honor of Miss Charlotte Kerney.

Mr and Mrs F L Evans have returned home from their trip south being accompanied back by their son Edward who has been in the Kentucky military institute. Part of the winter the school was in Florida but later moved to London Ky.

A SPECIAL called meeting of the Decatur Art class will be held Saturday evening at 7:30 at the home of Mrs W T Wells 1?? West Prairie avenue. This will be an important meeting and plans for next year's work will be talked over. The meeting is called by the new president Mrs Isabella Machan.

MISS CLARA TAYLOR the former Millikin student who is now in Russia in Y W C A work is now back in Moscow or at least she was when she wrote a letter six weeks ago to her father ... M Taylor of Taylorville.

She with other Y W C A workers who were at Moscow were moved to Vologda 300 miles from Moscow before Christmas on account of the danger in Moscow from the revolution and threatened German invasion.

Miss Taylor writes that she is well and her work is progressing finely.

MRS D Y STAFFORD of Marshfield Ore who is here visiting Mr and Mrs P K Montgomery has been honored with quite a number of informal affairs since she has been here.

Mrs Stafford and Mrs J G Pixby of Lincoln, who are also the guests of Mr and Mrs Montgomery are now attending a house party given by Mrs Ada Storer. Over the week-end Mrs Fred Carpenter will have a house party with Mrs Fixby and Mrs Stafford as the out of town guests.

Mrs Stafford was the guest of Mrs Will G Bachman at the golf luncheon at the Country club Wednesday afternoon and Mrs Fixby was the guest of Mrs Montgomery at the same event.

Both Mr Dan Mickner and his daughter Miss Eunice Mickner are ill at their home. Miss Eunice was recently brought home from the hospital where she underwent an operation. She is getting along nicely. Her mother, who has been ill now for about a week was somewhat better today.

MRS J L WALDRIDGE was winner of the thrift stamps given for the low net score in the Red Cross tournament at the Country club Wednesday afternoon. She had a low net score of ?. The fees collected for the tournament amounted to $? which will be turned into the Red Cross treasury.

Next week the women will qualify for the June tournament and a large number of women are expected to play. Mrs W S Ridgley will give the cup for the first flight and the association will put up the trophies for the second and third flights.

Pi Beta Phi alumnae and active members to the number of about forty had a picnic supper at the cottage of Mrs Joe Ward at the Homewood Fishing club Wednesday evening. After the supper which was cooked on the grounds, two girls Katherine Milligan and Edna Pyles were pledged.

The out of town guests were Mabel Edmondson, of Atwood, Carolyn Duerr of Dayton O, Mrs Lindley Huff of Maroa, Lucile Logan of Bethany, and Miss Charlotte Kerney of Tiburon, Cal.

Miss Elizabeth Burke entertained a few friends at an informal party Wednesday afternoon in honor of Miss Charlotte Kerney. The girls knitted during the afternoon.

PRINCIPAL and Mrs T M Deam had between fifty and sixty guests at the lawn party they gave Wednesday evening for members of the high school faculty and their wives. Japanese lanterns lighted the back lawn, and throughout the house peonies and roses were used. On the dining room porch punch was served during the evening.

A group of songs was sung by Miss Florence Atchison and she afterwards led the company in singing war songs.

Four Shakespeare plays will be studied by Shakespeare division of the Woman's club next year according to decision made at the last meeting of the year of the division Wednesday afternoon. They will be Othello, Julius Caesar, Taming of the Shrew and As You Like It. Besides studying these plays the division will have two half hours a month of Bible study led by Mr George L Bacon and two half hours devoted to American authors.

The division will begin its work in the fall in Sept ??.

About twenty five couples attended the Tau Kappa Epsilon breakfast Thursday morning at Faries park. Dr A A Tyler ... the crowd. Some of the party went out to the park in automobiles and others by ... After the breakfast which was served in the dining room at ... o'clock the morning was spent in boating and dancing.

A guest was Kenneth Miller of ... of I.

MEETINGS OF THE SOCIAL CLUBS

The meeting of the Mu Lota club which was to have been held at the home of Mrs Tom Shea 2175 ... Wednesday ... has been postponed ...

The ... Bridge club met Wednesday at the home of Mrs W H Jennings, 500 North Water street and spent the time with Red Cross sewing.

The ... club met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs Fred Ohlson 1??? East North street and spent the afternoon with Belgian relief work. ... refreshments were served.

On account of the death of Mrs Sawyer's father ... the meeting of the Pleasant Afternoon club which was to have been held Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs Arthur Buchanan 151 South Hilton street has been postponed until next Friday.

MEMORIAL EXERCISES AT PUGH SCHOOL

Pugh school held three Memorial day exercises Wednesday morning. They were as follow:

FIRST EXERCISE

Song, America.
Memorial reading, Francis Flint.
Poem, The Greater Lesson, John ...
Do Not Help the Enemy, Audrey Ashcraft.
My Country Forever, Miss McCoy's room.
Your Dad and My Dad, Cordelia Kriswald.
The Dollar a Year Man, Lynn Hisey.
Old Kaiser Bill, Iris Amtuhl.
To Our Boys, Alice Pyburn.
A P Speakers, Mr Wellsley and ... Pax.

SECOND EXERCISE

Miss Montgomery's, Miss Fitzpatrick's, Miss M Amis, Miss Espey and Miss Nighswander's room each gave a ... minute program of songs, recitations and historical sketches. The exercises closed with the singing of America by all.

THIRD EXERCISE

Program given by Miss Butler, Miss Augustine's, Miss ... and Miss Kirk's rooms. A talk was made by Captain Kay followed by a song America. Miss Kirk's class gave flag exercises and all the children saluted the flag. The boys of Miss Augustine's room sang Oh Who Wouldn't Be a Soldier and the program closed with a parade in which the children marched around the building.

Priscilla Club.

The Priscilla club met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs A L Smith 1?09 North Morgan street with all members present. The afternoon was spent in knitting and crocheting. A two course luncheon was served by the hostess.

ANNUAL TRACTION SYSTEM PICNIC

Will Be Held at Faries Park June 27.

The annual picnic of all the I T S people of Decatur and their families, not including the trainmen, is to be held in Faries Park on June 27 this year. This includes the shops, store room bridge and building departments and several others. Ordinarily the picnic is held at some other place along the system, and the company furnishes cars to haul the employes to the picnic grounds.

Because of war and other conditions this year, however, it was decided to have it right at home. The company will furnish cars to take the picnickers on the short haul to the park. The program for the day is not yet drawn up, but will be shortly along the same lines as usual. C Albeitz has been named chairman of the general committee. C Brenenstall, treasurer, C H Howard secretary, C Gushing, Miss Emily Leighty and a representative from the store room, as other members of the committee.

Marsadeen Club.

The Marsadeen club met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. William Campbell, 305 East Division street. The afternoon was spent in crocheting, and there was a contest in which Mrs. Don McMahon won the prize. The hostess served a two course luncheon. Pink and white peonies were the centerpiece for the table.

The club will meet in two weeks at the home of Mrs. Lewis Rucker, 324 East Division street.

ANNUAL MEMORIAL BY THE WOODMEN

Exercises Will Be Held at Fairlawn Cemetery.

The memorial exercises of the Royal Neighbors and Modern Woodmen of America will be held Sunday afternoon, June 2, at 2 o'clock, in Fairlawn cemetery.

The principal speakers for the day will be C S. Townsend of Macomb state deputy of the Woodmen, and Mrs Alice Gilliland of Springfield, chairman of the board of directors of the R N A. Local remarks will be made by F S Wielman, counsellor of Lodge 144, and T W Samuels, past counsellor of Lodge 1636. It has been decided not to have the parade this year, which has been an annual feature of the memorial exercises. Everyone is expected to be at the cemetery not later than 2. Music will be furnished by the United Brethren quartet.

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A cup of coffee you will enjoy if you are a coffee lover.

You can save **2c** a pound on any of these coffees by purchasing five pounds.

Call for coffee No. 26, our best, lb.......... **37c**
Coffee No. 22, fancy grade, lb.............. **35c**
Coffee No. 18, the popular 30c retailer, lb... **25c**
Coffee No. 17, old crop Rio, lb............ **24c**

NO. 13

The lucky number: our cheap coffee, 5 lbs.. **75c**

Big Special in Silk Gloves

To Close The Month—For Friday Only

WE'RE GOING TO STIMULATE glove buying tomorrow, with a very special offer on women's silk gloves—just what you need for summer service. These are 2 clasp gloves with double tipped fingers and 3 row embroidered back.

We have them in white only—in sizes from 6 to 8 inclusive. These gloves are our regular 60c and 75c value, for a pair..........

39c

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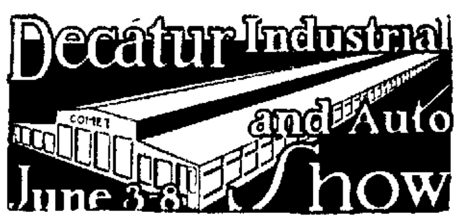


Even in the Face of High Priced Woolens, Here Comes

Our Twice-Yearly Clearance of

TAILORED WOOL SUITS

YOU, DOUBTLESS, will be surprised to read this announcement that we propose to continue our policy of Suit Stock Clearance this year, just in years past. Even though our sacrifice be great, we must at all times, keep our styles fresh and new. As a season draws to a close, we must clear our stock rooms.

Our Spring Stock of Tailored Wool Suits goes into this big clearance tomorrow morning and with every woman in touch with the high price of woolens, we expect an unprecedented attendance, as this sale opens.

We have divided the stock into three groups. Every garment bears the regular selling price in plain figures.

No Suits Sent On Approval

No Sale Suits Can Be Returned For Credit

Choice of Any Wool Suits That Retailed as High as $30 $18.75

EVERY Suit is a spring model, including such materials as serges, gabardines, shepherd checks and poplins.

The colors include tan, grey, Sammy, copen, a few in navy and the black and white checks. The sizes range from 16 to 46. Choice of any wool suit up to $30

$18.75

Choice of Wool Suits That Retailed at $32 to $40 . $24.75

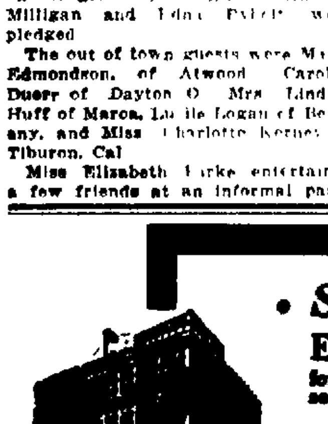
A BIG SELECTION of high grade suits in such fabrics as Poiret twills, serges, gabardines, and poplins. Aside from all the regular sizes in this assortment, there are many stout models, offering sizes from 16 to 47. Most any color—tan, grey, copen, black and white checks and a few in navy. Choice of $32.50 to $40 wool suits

$24.75

Choice of Any Wool Suits That Retailed at $42 to $50 . $29.50

ALL of our very finest wool suits are included in this lot—the more exclusive models. The materials include Tricotines, Poiret twills, gabardines, covert cloths, and hairlines in tan, Sammy, copen, grey and shepherd checks. We give you choice of these handsome wool suits that sold all season at $42.50 to $50 for only

$29.50



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Whether your time is worth $1 or $100 an hour, when you are in Chicago, you want to be in the Center of this Great Central Market.

At the "Morrison" you are "In the Heart of the Loop" where it is but a step to the great office buildings, department stores, theatres, railroad stations—with speedy transportation to every outlying part of the city.

Whether you pay $2 or more for a room you have the same advantages of location, enjoy the same efficient attention and leave with the same memory of time spent to best advantage.

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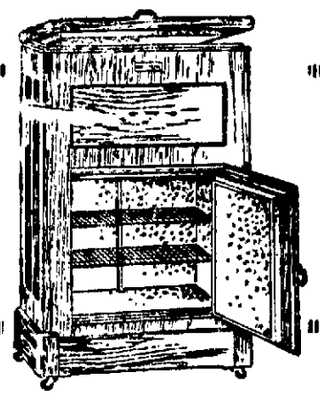

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100 lbs. ice capacity—Price	$24.75

MERIDITH FURNITURE CO.

CASH OR CREDIT.

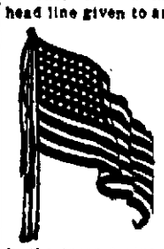
GREETED DRAFT MEN IN SOUTH

Jackson, Miss., Paper Tells of Decatur Crowd.

CARRIED A BANNER

Stranded Company Helped by Red Cross.

"They flew a magic flag" is the head line given to an article which appeared Monday in the Jackson, Miss., Daily News in telling of the passing through that city of the soldiers from Decatur. The reference was made particularly to Decatur's representatives and the article which tells of the men in the troop trains from Illinois says:



"Yesterday afternoon about one thousand men from Illinois passed through the city ,each one wearing a white tag on which was printed 'Selected men from Illinois.' By the time they had reached Jackson after the long hot ride in troop trains, they were so well exhausted that it argued innate refinement in those who had taken the trouble to get fresh shaves and to don immaculate apparel."

FROM DECATUR, ILL.

"But there were many who had done just this, in spite of the heat and the fatigue and the fact that they were strangers in a strange land, and it is significant that many of the company which flew the Red Cross flag as a part of their equipment in going to war.

"This banner told all who passed that the men were from Decatur, Illinois, and that they were member of the Red Cross, and from the proud young Captain of this fine bunch of boys, it was learned that the day before these men had taken large part in the big Red Cross drive in Decatur, and that the Boy Scouts had helped mightily, the leader having, during the parade in Decatur, caught up a flag, removed the staff and given it to the Scouts to catch the silver shower which was soon falling into it and which resulted in an addition of one hundred dollars to the drive."

"These young men from Decatur believe in the Red Cross and, all were eager to show the Jackson Red Cross workers what their own Red Cross had done for them as they were leaving home, and the local workers who have filled and handled many kits have never seen finer than these boys bore away with them as gifts from their own Red Cross.

"That the people of Decatur gave their lads a splendid goodbye, none can doubt, who heard the boys tell about it. The final day of the Red Cross Drive and the day of their departure having been one and the same, the young selected men were made the feature of the day and given so splendid a goodbye that the memory of it lies sweet in the hearts of each one and will inspire them to great work as soldiers.

COMPANY LEFT BEHIND.

One company of the Illinois boys who had been viewing the sights of the state capitol at Jackson, Miss., were left and the young men suddenly found themselves in a strange town without their baggage, their coats and many of them without their money which was on the train with the rest of their stuff.

They assembled at the station, a rather disconsolate looking lot, when members of the Red Cross of Jackson learned of their predicament and took them in charge. They were taken to the Y. M. C. A. for a bath and rest, later taken to the restaurants for their suppers and put to bed in the best hotel in the city and they left the next morning after a hearty breakfast with many cheers for the Red Cross and for Jackson.

PASSENGER MEN ON TROOP TRAINS

Policy of Railroads to Have Representative With Every Contingent.

The traveling division and district passenger agents that are still in the service are kept as busy as bees riding soldier trains. The policy of the Wabash is to have a representative of the passenger department on every soldier train, just as has always been done with an excursion. Harvey Gardener, division passenger agent at Decatur returns from one trip to find instructions to go to a certain place to take another train. Other passenger men who are seen on the trains passing through Decatur are George Maxfield, formerly of Indianapolis; H. C. Furdy of Chicago; W. H. Shorey of Fort Wayne, William Wood of St. Louis, H. C. Shields of Omaha; Earl Lind of Moberly, and Thomas John of Quincy. The latter has just been installed as ticket agent for the Wabash at Quincy, and is through riding trains.

WILLIAM EISELE AT KELLY FIELD

William Eisele, son of Mr and Mrs J. L. Eisele, is now attending a three months' course in the aviation mechanical school at Kelly Field, Texas, according to a letter just received from him. Eisele who was formerly a Millikin student and was later employed at the Pan-American, enlisted about seven months ago, but owing to various changes being made in plans for different army work, he had not been started in the school yet.

13 COACHES IN DRAFT TRAIN

The special National army train on the C. I. & W. Thursday night will arrive in Decatur from the west at 8.55. It will consist of thirteen coaches. Four coaches of selective draft men will come from the Wabash at Springfield and one from the C. P. & St. L. Thirty men will come from Clinton by way of the Illinois Central and take the special at Decatur and fifty will be picked up at Tuscola.

HURRYING TO GET OFF ON TRIPS

Before New 3-cent Fare Goes Into Effect.

Hundreds of inquiries are coming to the local ticket offices concerning the increased passenger rates. The increased rates threaten to interfere with a good many vacations and many people are scurrying to get away on their vacations before the new rates go into effect.

The fact is that the local passenger and ticket men know nothing of the increased rates except what they have been told by the newspapers. They have received no instructions either from the railroads or the government as to the new rates. They expected the increase in rates and they are confident that the information given out by the newspapers is right but they don't know any thing outside of the news story. The traveling public knows just as much about the increased rates as the passenger and ticket agents do.

The question most frequently asked is: "Will a round trip ticket purchased at the present rate be good returning after the increased rate has gone into effect?"

CONTRACT WILL HOLD.

The railroad men dont know and they are obliged to say so. As a matter of opinion the ticket men are confident that any ticket purchased before the advance in rates with a limit extending beyond the date of the advance will be good until the expiration of the limit. There were round trip tickets good for six months sold months ago and some being sold now. Each of these tickets is a contract entered into between the railroad company and the passenger and neither the railroad company nor the government has the right to abrogate this contract. Ticket men are confident that this contract will hold, not only in case of tickets that have been sold but of tickets that may be sold before June 10 unless they get instruction in advance of the selling not to sell.

You can not buy a round trip ticket to New York. Local ticket agents have no round trip rate to New York. The rate to New York from Decatur is $21.91 regular and $22.07 by the differential lines but you can't buy a round trip ticket at double that rate. Local agents do not know what the rate is from New York to Decatur. The rate going is not always the same as the rate coming. For years the fare from Decatur to Buffalo has been $14.55 while the fare returning has been $13.55. This difference was originally due to an error in the rate sheet but it has been continued.

NO TOURIST RATES.

No tourist rates to the east have been put into effect and it is probable none will be this year. There is just one circuit ticket to New York that you can buy now and it brings you back by boat from New York to Galveston. It is the southern part of the tour that is the excuse for this time. The ticket costs $75 plus the war tax which will amount to $6 and it is not a bad summer trip. There are, however, a number of southern and western rates still in effect.

CARRIED DOG ON LONG AUTO TRIP

Party From New York to California Pass Through Decatur.

A party of real trans-continental tourists was in Lincoln Square Wednesday noon and the man in the party asked Officer Stevens who was on duty on the square, where the famous Lincoln court house was.

There were three in the crowd, the man, his wife and his mother and they were on their way from New York City to California. They left the eastern metropolis May 5, stopped a week in Washington, and have been taking their time about it along the way. They camp except in very bad weather and have found good roads practically all the way.

On the running board of the chummy roadster in which they travel sits a big Airdale dog on a thick mat specially fitted to the running board for his comfort with a light rail around it so that he may sleep while the car jogs along without falling off.

OAKLAND SCHOOL TO HOLD PICNIC

Outing at Fairview Park on Friday Afternoon and Evening.

Friday afternoon and evening the Oakland school will hold a community picnic at Fairview park to which all the present, past and near future patrons are invited.

The pupils will leave the school building in charge of the teachers at the close of school Friday afternoon and go directly to the park where they will hold a track meet and athletic stunts of various kinds.

A common supper will be served by the patrons of the school in the pavilion and each family is urged to bring supplies enough for itself of plain, substantial food in accordance with the times. This charge at the community supper which will be spread in the pavilion.

After supper there will be some contests under the supervision of the Fathers' club of the school.

This is a community and get acquainted affair for the grown-ups as well as a picnic for the children.

When Investing Your Money Be Sure You Are Right

IT'S worth while—worth a little effort and a little time to know you are right—to know that you will be satisfied with the investment you are making.

Don't take chances. Don't say, "I guess this will do," and then worry day in and day out, hoping your investment will be satisfactory—that you will get your interest when due and your money back at maturity. Actually see for yourself what you are buying before you invest. It's easy to do and you will find it mighty interesting and instructive.

First Mortgage 6% Bonds safeguarded under the STRAUS PLAN are direct first mortgages on the highest grade properties in our great American cities. You can see these buildings. They are part of cities like Chicago, New York and Philadelphia. These bond offerings are underwritten by a reputable House with a record of

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To Bloomington and Peoria

NORTBOUND			SOUTHBOUND		
Lv. Decatur	10:50 am	5:00 pm	Lv. Peoria	9:10 am	1:25 pm
Ar. Blm'gtn.	12:40 pm	6:45 pm	Ar. Blm'gtn	10:40 am	3:05 pm
Ar. Peoria	2:15 pm	8:25 pm	Ar. Decatur	12:25 pm	4:50 pm

To Springfield

WESTBOUND			EASTBOUND		
Lv. Decatur	8:45 am	2:50 pm	Lv. Spgfd	8:00 am	12:30-7:15 pm
Ar. Spgf'd	10:25 am	4:25 pm	Ar. Dec.	9:40 am	2:00-8:50 pm

To Champaign

EASTBOUND			WESTBOUND		
Lv. Decatur	9:45 am	2:05 pm	Lv. Champaign		12:50 pm
Ar. Champaign	11:40 am	4:00 pm	Ar. Decatur		2:45 pm

Connections at Champaign to and from Danville.

For time of local trains, connections, etc., see folders.

ILLINOIS TRACTION SYSTEM
(M'KINLEY LINES)

Old Dutch Cleaner
Old Dutch Cleanser Friday and Saturday, 10c—three for 25c

$1.00 Brooms 69c
If you are not fully supplied now is the time to buy a good five sewed broom worth regularly $1.00 on sale Friday and Saturday 69c

DECATUR'S BUSY STORE ALWAYS THE LOWEST PRICES
Stewart Dry Goods Co
227-235 N. WATER ST. DECATUR, ILLS.

Georgette Crepes
The most popular fabric of the season—40 inches wide, in all the leading shades—same quality as sold elsewhere for $2.25. Our price $1.95
Buckles in all sizes and colors.
6c to $1.50 Each

Month-End Clean Up Sale of TAILORED SUITS

$12 $22 $35

We have divided our suit stock into three specially priced groups for a quick clean up. They are the season's latest models, and to make them go quickly are offered at less than half price. This is a wonderful opportunity to get an exceptionally great value for your money. The earlier shopper has the choice of greater selection.

Lot One	Lot Two	Lot Three
Suits Worth Up to $25	Suits Worth Up to $45	Suits Worth Up to $75
Clean Up Price $12	Clean Up Price $22	Clean Up Price $35

Clean Up Sale of Coats $10

Values up to $22.50

This special lot of coats consists of Wool Serges, Wool Poplins, black and white checks, Cheviots, Plaids and Mixtures. They are all this season's models with belts all around and large collars, silk trimmed. Sizes in the lot for misses, small women and regular sizes up to 44.

Three Specials in Exquisite Summer Millinery

This is an opportune time for women who have delayed purchasing their summer millinery.

White Milans
Beautifully trimmed, becoming models from which you are sure to find the most attractive hat for your individuality, specially priced— $5.00

Leghorns
In large drooping shapes and small tailored effects—surely the hat that will just fit your need—reasonably priced at $7.50

Panamas
Neatly trimmed, well designed both in shape and trimming to fit your various needs. Specially priced at— $3.50

Big Shirt Sale

$1.00 and $1.25 Men's Dress Shirts 89c

These are new shirts with the new stripes and patterns—French and laundered cuffs — all sizes—real $1.00 and $1.25 values that are constantly advancing in value for this sale 89c

$1.25 men's blue work shirts with pockets—well made; special Friday and Saturday. 89c

$1.50 Men's E. & W. Shirts, 98c
We have been fortunate in securing direct from the manufacturers, 50 dozen men's dress shirts at a decided concession. Included are both French cuff and laundered cuff shirts—in all the handsomest patterns and colors of the new season. Every man ought to come and supply his shirt needs for a whole year. Regular $1.25 and $1.50 values on sale Saturday, at choice 98c

Underwear Specials

Women's fine quality spring weight union suits like the illustration, low neck, no sleeve and lace knees. Worth regularly 69c; for Friday and Saturday, a suit 50c

Women's gauze vests with square and round necks, extra values for Friday and Saturday, each 10c

Men's athletic union suits made of nainsook in checks and stripes. Regular $1.00 values Friday and Saturday, a suit 79c

Boys' athletic union suits made of checks and striped dimity—regular 50c value Friday and Saturday—a suit 39c

IF YOU WANT A GAS STOVE BUY NOW

As we have only a limited number on hand, bought before the last advance in price. Stoves on our next order will be much higher, as they will be bought according to current quotations.

Decatur Railway & Light Co.

124 South Water St. Phone No. 1

It's never too hot or too cold, too early or too late for a Review want ad to do your bidding in filling your want.

LOST AND FOUND.

Lost—No. 3 Eastman Kodak, near cabin in Fairview park. Reward. Main 3796.

Lost—Purse containing two $10 bills, 2 $1 bills, 3 checks payable to Elguer Grocery Co., and other personal papers. Return to St. Nicholas hotel. Reward. Frank J. Bayne.

Lost—A small purse, either on the Condit car or on Locust St. between Jasper and Calhoun. Reward if returned to Mrs. Chas. Norman, 1505 N. Calhoun St.

Lost—Pair nose glasses Saturday morning between 1076 E. William and Wabash depot. Reward. Phone Fairview 581.

WANTED—POSITIONS.

Wanted—Position as housekeeper, young experienced woman. Main 6026.

Wanted—Position as general office girl shorthand and typewriting. E 997, Review.

Capable Salesman desires a new connection with reliable firm. A-1 references, city or road. For interview address E 813 Review.

Wanted—By young lady students, good place to work for room and board. Main 6436.

WANTED—HELP.

Wanted—Assistant book-keeper, must have some experience. Apply in own handwriting, stating experience, references, etc. Morehouse & Wells Co., Decatur, Ill.

Wanted—A few strawberry pickers over 16 years of age. Frank Aiken, ½ mile north of Pythian Home.

Wanted—Mechanical and structural draftsmen; lady draftsman can do some of the work. McLaughlin Coal Reduction Co., 529-531-533 W. Green St.

WANTED—MALE HELP.

Wanted—A good all round blacksmith for country shop at once, $4.50 per day. Wm. J. Wiegman, Moweaqua, Ill.

Men Wanted
to work in foundry and shipping room
Decatur Malleable Iron Co.

Wanted—Man to work on a farm. R. C. McDaniels, Prairie Hall, Ill.

Wanted—Driver to haul coal on halves, team furnished. Main 6270, before 8 a.m.

We will pay big for a good man: must fair education and be of good repute. Experience not necessary—we teach you. Let us explain. Great Western Accident Insurance Company, Des Moines, Ia.

Wanted—A young man about 20 years old to do painting. John Ray, 315 N. Jasper. Phone 181.

Wanted—
Delivery boy. Bell Drug Co.

Wanted—Boy over 16 years to collect, must have wheel. Elite Furniture Co., 802 N. Water.

Wanted—A man to clean bricks. Call Tel. 5760 or 5799.

Wanted—Men to handle express at depot, 217 N. Main.

Wanted—A boy 16 to work in horse shoeing shop. 148 W. William St.

Laborers Wanted. Call at 221 Millikin Bank Bldg.

Wanted—Man to handle freight. Apply Wabash Freight House.

Wanted—Elevator operators. Apply at office Hotel Orlando.

Wanted—Laborers and ice handlers. Polar Ice Co.

Wanted—A barber, $20 and half over $30, job good for $25 to $30 per week. Wire at my expense. Farmos Lewis 8½ E. Main St., Danville, Ill.

Wanted—2 good painters at once. L. G. Forbes, Pana, Ill.

Wanted—Laborers. A. E. Staley Mfg. Co.

Wanted — Molders, bench and machine, good pay and steady work. No trouble. Transportation paid. Rock Island Mfg. Co., Rock Island, Ill.

Freight handlers wanted at Illinois Central freight house. G. W. Morgan, Agt.

Wanted—300 men and boys to get their hair cut at Schaniels 103 E. Main, south side square. Haircut 25c, shave, 15c. Hours 6.30 a.m. to 9.00 p.m. Sundays, 6.30 a.m. to noon.

Blacksmith Wanted—Must be good man. C. A. Smittinger, Assumption, Ill.

Wanted—25 Laborers, Men or boys (white or colored.) Wages from $2.75 to $3.00. No railroad fare advanced. Work guaranteed on arrival; steady employment. The Coshocton Glass Co., Coshocton, Ohio.

WANTED—FEMALE HELP.

Wanted—Lady to work in potato chip factory. Main 2809.

Girls Wanted
to work in core room
Decatur Malleable Iron Co.

Wanted — Girl for general house work, wages $7 per week. Mrs. J. M. Allen, 181 Taylor Ave.

Wanted—Woman for house work, 3 in family, $7 per week. Mrs. H. B. McGregor, Harristown, Ill. Bell 944.

Girl Wanted—To assist with house work, one who understands cooking. Apply Mrs. T. J. Maloney, 659 W. William.

Wanted—Girls over 16 years of age to feed press and work in printing office. Apply Review Printing & Stationery Co., 3rd floor.

Wanted—Girls for Alteration dept., must have some experience. Bright Bros.

Wanted—Girl to assist with general house work. Main 3923.

Wanted—Middle aged lady for short order cook and counter work at night. Main 3170.

Wanted—A girl for general house work, also laundress. 1036 N. Main.

Wanted—Lady at Banner Dairy lunch room. Also a lady or gentleman who can work Saturday evenings and Sunday. Banner Dairy 223 E. William. Main 2726.

Wanted Immediately—A girl for general house work, good cook, family of two; no washing or ironing; 326 W. Macon. Mrs. C. M. Hurst.

Wanted—Woman to clean house, 1 weeks' work with board and room. Call County 628, ring 1.

Wanted—Lady dishwasher. Lincoln Square Cafe.

Wanted—Young woman for general house work. Apply 1370 N. Church.

Wanted—Experienced maid for part of house work. Mrs. Walter H. Mills, 1040 Lincoln Ave.

Wanted—Chambermaids and scrub women. Apply Housekeeper Hotel Orlando.

WANTED—SALESMEN.

Wanted—Salesman, auto and accessories, experienced preferred; good opportunity to right party. Apply after 8 a.m. Bittel-Leftwich Co., 241 E. Main.

Salesman Wanted—Are you earning less than $1800 to $2000 per year? If you are a live wire with a strong current of enthusiasm you can beat it. We have an attachment that is a proven success which can be installed on the motor of nearly any automobile, making the field unlimited, and the opportunities for success beyond comprehension. We want only reliable men, none other apply. For further particulars, write to the Baker Attachment Co., 120 W. Main St., Salem, Ill., or Frank Bramler, district manager, Mason, Ill.

WANTED—TO BUY.

Wanted to Buy—Old edition of McGuffey's Reader. E-430 Review.

Will call any place in city for rags, paper, magazines and all kinds of junk. Highest prices paid. Phone Fairview, 200.

Highest cash prices for second hand clothing; 545 Front St., Fairview 28.

Attention Red Cross and Individuals—Highest market price for old gold, silver, platinum, tin lead foil silver plate, old false teeth. Ship at our expense receive check return mail. If not satisfied will return shipment. References, St. Louis Union Bank. Boasberg & Co., Refiners and Smelters, 5931 Washington Ave., St. Louis, Mo.

Wanted—50 more old feather beds to finish car load; will pay highest cash price. Address American Feather Co., General Delivery, Decatur, Ill., or Phone Main 372. Will call.

Wanted—Two harrows, three discs, forge log chains. Frank Suffern. Phone 2061.

If you want to get more money for your old furniture, rugs, stoves, refrigerators, etc., be sure and have us figure with you before you sell.

Davis Furniture Co.
Phone Main 348, 138 N. Franklin.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

Wanted—Your paper hanging and painting, prompt service and work guaranteed. L. Lindsey, Phone Fairview 261.

Wanted — Carpenter repair work, small jobs or large. Call Fairview 200 or 61, 1 Grand.

Expert paper cleaning, reasonable. Prompt service. Fairview 303.

Wanted to do plain sewing at 837 E. Condit. Reasonable prices.

Wanted—Paper cleaning and hanging to do. C. E. Bowman. Main 3146.

Wanted—To deliver coal to house for cash. Main 2009. R. E. Plunkert.

Well Digging, tubular and tile. J. J. Lyons, Main 1138; 958 S. Colfax.

Painting, kalsomining, paper cleaning, window washing, general house cleaning. Call P. T. Taylor. Main 2822.

Wanted—Washings for people employed promptly done, mending free. 212 Wabash Ave.

Now is your chance to sell your old clothes. Fisher pays highest cash price. 505 N. Water. Phone 4901. Will call.

Wanted—Light hauling. Call R. H. Oliphant. Bell 4327.

Wanted—To haul ashes, trash, coal, etc. Call Main 7007.

Piano Tuning, W. C. Hopkins, Fairview 162, 1439 N. College. References.

S. B. Waldorf, piano tuning and repairing. Best references. Phone 2889.

Wanted—You to know that I am able to take care of my customers promptly with your paper hanging and cleaning. Have new line of sample, new customers appreciated. T. A. Brackney, Phone 3597.

Wanted—Paper hanging and cleaning. Paper sold and hung at reasonable price. Call C. M. Stearn, Main 6446.

Wanted—Paper hanging, cleaning, painting, graining and inside finishing. References if required. All work guaranteed. Davis Bros., Phone 6312; 800 N. Main.

If you want your walls neatly papered, floors waxed, polished or varnished, call Adam Fuge. I also do expert work at plastering, painting and repairing rental property. 240 W. Main. Phone 511.

Wanted—Paper hanging, prompt service. D. M. Smith. Call after 6 p.m. Main 3571.

WANTED—Your watch repair work. We sell and repair American makes. SHAW the Watch Man, 147 Merchant St.

WANTED—All farmers to know that I will pay cash for all dead stock. Wm. price, 964 North Monroe, Phones 4431 and 2024.

To Exchange

Your old stove or refrigerator taken in exchange on new furniture. Its Easy to Pay the "People's" Way. People's Furniture Co., Cor. Water and North Sts. A-1.

LIGHT HOUSEKEEPING.

For Rent—3 modern furn. light housekeeping rooms. Private home. 1134 N. Main.

For Rent — Housekeeping and sleeping room. 240 E. Macon.

For Rent—3 modern furnished rooms for light housekeeping, private, no children; 420 E. Marietta. Main 475.

For Rent—2 mod. rooms, furn. for light housekeeping. 1129 W. Wood. Main 6316.

For Rent—2 Furn. rooms for light housekeeping, 3½ blks. from transfer house, 328 S. New. Main 1501.

For Rent—Two furn. rooms, mod. light housekeeping, gas stove. Main 2041; 835 N. Edward.

For Rent—2 cool rooms, furnished for housekeeping, bath, gas range, garden, adults only. Fairview 171; Main 5146.

For Rent—1 large furn. housekeeping room, ground floor, cool. 433 N. Franklin.

For Rent—2 furn. mod. rooms for light housekeeping; down stairs, no children. 1200 W. Macon, Main 4260.

For Rent—2 or 3 mod. furn. housekeeping rooms, girls employed or man and wife, refined. E 720, Review.

For Rent—Light housekeeping rooms, modern, west, close in. Main 4603.

FOR RENT—ROOMS.

For Rent—Strictly modern furnished front room, 272 W. Cerro Gordo.

For Rent—4 east rooms, 277 W. Eldorado, not modern. D. C. Corley.

For Rent—Mod. furn. room for man and wife. 425 N. Franklin.

For Rent—A large pleasant front room well furnished, city heat, 741 N. Edward.

For Rent—Modern room for sleeping. Phone 6418, 230½ W. Main.

For Rent—Rooms with running water. New Decatur hotel, 128 W. William.

For Rent—Furnished rooms, modern, 810 E. William.

For Rent—Mod. furn. sleeping rooms, gentlemen only. 433 N. Franklin.

For Rent — 1 sleeping room, 517 East Prairie.

For Rent—Single and double room Apts. above Weigand's Grocery store, 2 room house, 1144 S. Colfax St. Call J. C. Hostetler, 145 N. Water St.

For Rent—Mod. furn. sleeping room. Main 4945; 540 W. Main.

For Rent—1 or 2 mod. rooms, fine location; west side. Main 5505.

For Rent—Large furnisher rooms exclusive; no children. 771 W. North.

One strictly modern room with electric lights, telephone, bath, close in, for gentleman only. 350 E. Eldorado. Main 6213.

FOR RENT—HOUSES.

For Rent — 8 room thoroughly modern furnished home with sleeping porch and garage, for summer months. Call Main 5233.

For Rent—8 room mod. house, 820 N. Church. I. T. Cahill.

For Rent—Beautiful home of 7 rooms, near university, all built-in features. Call Main 6390.

For Rent—8 room house, 1308 N. Calhoun, no children, $7; garden already up. Apply 318 N. Church.

For Rent—5 room mod. house, 500 Blk. S. Haworth. Main 6370.

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For Rent—House of 5 rooms, large lawn; close in, 508 West North St.

For Rent—Furn. modern 10 room house for 3 months; vacant June 10. Call Main 5172.

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For Rent—Nice 3 room flat, 242½ W. Main. Call 242 W. Main. Little Gem Grocery.

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FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS.

For Sale—Clover and Timothy hay, entire lot on 20 acres, ¾ mile northwest of Walnut Grove addition, near city. R. B. Tuttle.

For Sale—Use-it water cooler, practically new. Main 3637.

For Sale—A barn, 35x40; also a medium sized refrigerator, will hold 200 lbs. ice. Main 6504.

For Sale—Shoemaker's polishing machine, one ⅛ horse electric motor, A. C., two ¼ horse electric motor, A. C., Oone 1-6 horse electric motor, A. C. Inquire 137 W. Washington.

For Sale—A good canvass tent, 6x8, only been used 1 week; will sell at bargain. Main 2677.

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The co-partnership, formerly composed of J. W. Hawley, W. H. Woolums and A. E. Patchin, doing business as J. W. Hawley & Company, having heretofore, towit, on November 20th, 1917 merged their business into the Universal Safety Sales Corporation of Decatur, Illinois, and the said co-partnership having been heretofore dissolved and all business heretofore conducted by it is now being transacted by the said corporation and no business is being conducted or will be transacted hereafter by said J. W. Hawley & Company, a co-partnership.

Dated this 15th day of May, A. D. 1918.
Signed:
J. W. HAWLEY,
W. H. WOOLUMS,
A. E. PATCHIN.

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday the 4th day of June, 1918, an election will be held in Decatur High School building in the city of Decatur for the purpose of electing one member of the Board of Education of Decatur school district. The polls will be open at 10.00 o'clock A. M. and will close at 6.30 o'clock P. M.

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MT. PULASKI.

Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Rigg of Bloomington, visited here this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Wacaser, and their daughter, Mrs. Arthur Scroggin. Mrs. Riggs' brother Alfred Wacaser was one of the young men who left here Wednesday to join the colors.

Nichols Hubbard, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Hubbard, was also one of the drafted men who left here Wednesday.

Mrs. Walter Vanderleith of New York City, arrived here Monday to visit her husband, parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Vanderleith. Walter will join her here on Friday.

Mrs. Amanda Pumpelly and daughter, Miss Virginia Pumpelly, arrived here Tuesday from Long Island, N. Y., and are moving into their old home on North Lafayette street.

Mrs. Lizzie Bekemeyer was called to Missouri, Tuesday on account of the serious illness of her daughter, Mrs. Catherine Griffin.

The carnival company that was to have shown here this week failed to materialize on account of the railroads refusing to let them have cars to haul their stuff.

Mrs. P. L. McGrath of Lincoln, arrived here Tuesday to meet her aunt, Mrs. Amanda Pumpelly and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Aitcheson, Florence Capps and Elmer Alspach went to Springfield Sunday.

Carl Silkey, who has been assisting his father in his grocery store several years has come to the conclusion that he can assist his country and help win the war by engaging in more important work. Consequently he will leave Sunday for New Brunswick, N. J., to work in an aeroplane factory. His brother Clinton Silkey who holds an important position with the factory, telegraphed him Wednesday to come at once.

C. W. Silkey went to Iowa Wednesday to visit his son, Ray Silkey. Mrs. Silkey went to Decatur to visit her sister, Mrs. Arthur Clark.

Rev. A. A. Marlow, pastor of St. John's English Lutheran church, and wife, celebrated their fifth wedding anniversary Tuesday evening. A number of their friends were present.

A soaking rain accompanied by thunder and lightning, fell here Tuesday night.

Houses to rent are scarce here.

The streets will be oiled this week.

Strange Fire Truck.

A strange fire truck was running at large in Decatur Tuesday evening. It bore the initials, "K. F. D.," which might signify that it belongs to the Kenney fire department or the Kankakee fire department. Of course there are also Kalamazoo and Keokuk to be considered. The truck was not new and had plainly seen service. The last heard of it was on West Packard street, going west.

70 CLASS ONE MEN LEFT AT SULLIVAN

Sullivan, May 30.—The Moultrie county exemption board have at least 70 men left in class one who are physically qualified for general military service. Forty are also classed in special or limited service.

The list of 70 is made up mostly of farmers, who have been passed up in the last few calls on account of farm work. Each has been required to furnish affidavits showing that they are actively engaged in farm work.

At present the board has not received any orders for men, and have no information when they will have another call. When another call comes they will be forced to pick up the men who have been passed on farming.

The board has never had any instruction that they should pick up men from any other class than class one, and they are required to be in general military service when sent from this class. It is not thought that a call will be made from any other class except class one.

The exemption board only expects to have one place for registration for the men who have passed 21 since the registration date, June 5, 1917, and that will be at the board's office in the court house. The office will be open from 7 a. m. until 9 p. m.

Rev. W. B. Hopper went to Pana Wednesday morning, where he gave a talk.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Goodman of Decatur are here for Memorial day.

RED CROSS SALE IN ATWOOD SATURDAY

Atwood, May 30.—The Red Cross auction sale will be held Saturday afternoon, June 1. Three airoplanes will be here from Rantoul and will light in the grade school grounds at 2:30 o'clock.

Lieut. Maismith of the British army who has just returned from France will be here and will give a short talk preceding the sale which will start about 3:30 o'clock. The articles will be sold from a platform in front of the First National bank. Articles of every description have been donated and a big time is anticipated. Cafeteria lunch will be served throughout the afternoon and evening. Lieut. Maismith will speak again after the sale. The notorious duck which has made so much money at different sales will be here to help his "bit." The Atwood band will furnish music for the occasion.

DOINGS OF THE DUFFS By Allman

H. J. DRESBACK, LONG ILL, DEAD

Prosperous Blue Mound Farmer Expires.

Blue Mound, May 30—Harvey J Dresback died at 6 30 O'clock Thursday morning after a lingering illness with tuberculosis He spent eight months in a sanitarium in Colorado in the hopes of benefitting his health, but came home from there a year ago in April and had since been at home. This spring he moved into town from the country

He was born near Blue Mound Aug. 10, 1880, and lived in that vicinity all his life He was a prosperous farmer and before his illness he was an active worker in the Blue Mound Methodist church and Sunday school He was the only son of his family.

He is survived by his wife and son David, and four sisters, Mrs Daniel Vittrell and Mrs Ben Moore of Blue Mound, Mrs W R Crawford of Morrisonville and Mrs D O. Randall of Ramsey

The funeral will take place at the Methodist church in Blue Mound Saturday afternoon at 3 30 with burial in Hall cemetery

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY.

Elevator Operator—Either boy or girl See Mr. Logan 2nd floor H S Gebhart Co.

Lost—Small package on W Main St car Wednesday 'Phone Fairview 128 Reward

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STANLEY THAYER AT CAMP HANCOCK

Former Bank Clerk Says Georgia is a Busy and Hot Place.

From a bank clerk to a hardened soldier in a few months' time is the experience of Stanley Thayer, graduate of the James Millikin university now a member of company T 2nd provisional regiment at Camp Hancock Ga Thayer was formerly employed at the Citizens National bank in this city

In a letter to Allerton S Freeman Thayer says in part as follows

This is certainly a busy place and it's mighty hot I have been on guard all night so I am good and sleepy I can sleep on anything nowadays The ground looks about as good to me as a cot and a real bed with springs I don't know what a bed or a pillow looks like but I sleep just as well as if I were on one

TRAIN HITS AUTO, OCCUPANTS UNHURT

Bement, May 30—William Hall, his wife and two children narrowly escaped death when the Ford automobile in which they were riding was struck at Sprague's crossing by Wabash passenger train No 1 Wednesday evening The auto was badly damaged the top being carried by the engine for about a block and a half before the engineer stopped the train

The elevator and buildings on the right side of the track hide trains from view As it was after 6 o'clock the electric crossing bells were not ringing

HALL JUMPS WITH CHILD

According to Mr Hall the train was traveling at a high rate of speed He attempted to cross the track but when he saw the train bearing down upon him he snatched his child from the rear seat of the machine and jumped

MRS HALL AND BABY UNHURT

Mrs Hall and her infant who were in the front seat with Mr Hall were unhurt The entire rear part of the auto was torn away

LOCAL RAINS IN DOUGLAS COUNTY

Tuscola May 30—Heavy showers fell in this part of Douglas county in a freakish sort of way Tuesday evening. There was a rain north of Garrett, and the fields were so wet that the farmers could not plant corn Wednesday Both to the northeast and southeast of Tuscola the rain fell at short distances heavy rain was reported covering small territories

The southeast corner of the county is said to be needing rain badly as that locality has had no rain for some time Little rain fell in Tuscola Tuesday evening and the shower to the southeast was said to be have been accompanied by heavy hail

THIEVES ENTER STORE

The general store of R W Moore at Ficklin was entered by thieves Tuesday night and about $200 worth of merchandise taken For the most part the goods taken consisted of men's shoes and furnishings The thieves gained entrance by breaking a glass in the rear door A pair of bloodhounds were brought from Decatur Wednesday morning with a hope that they might locate the burglars but Mr Moore had failed to keep the people away from the door so that the dogs were of no service

Ficklin is a small village located on the C I & W railroad just a short distance west of Tuscola There are no street lights and no town officials in the way of police or watchman and the thieves probably found it an easy place to make a haul and get away with it

RED CROSS FIGURES

Figures that had been compiled by Dr W E Rice chairman of the Red Cross drive for Douglas county which has just ended Wednesday showed the county to have gone over its apportionment to the approximate amount of $1 590, thought the figures were not all in and it was thought the amount when all turned in would bring the excess well up to $2,000 Every township in the county exceeded the allotment with the exception of Newman, and the solicitors for that township have not completed their work.

A session of the county court was held Wednesday afternoon at which time the case of the election contest from Sargent township, wherein W A. Davis is plaintiff and E G McDaniels defendant, over the election to the office of highway commissioner for that township. The case was not completed and was continued until June 4

Miss Bessie Hazlett has received a letter from her brother Bert, dated, "Somewhere at sea" Bert was formerly a clerk in the C. & E I railroad station here and went with the second contingent of Douglas county drafted men to Camp Taylor, where he took up the study of wireless telegraphy His letter did not state whether he had completed his course and was working as an operator of the wireless on a sea going vessel, or was being taken overseas A letter was also received from Frank Dearduff about the same time by his parents Mr and Mrs D C Dearduff at Ficklin Frank is still employed as a clerk in the quartermaster's department at Newport News Va

Mrs Grace Bennett of St Louis who has been visiting her parents Mr and Mrs J L Larimer has gone to Mode, for a short visit with her brother Frank before returning to St Louis

Mr and Mrs Fred L Thornsbrue accompanied by Mr Thornsbrue's mother and sister motored to Decatur Wednesday They report finding muddy roads between Garrett and Atwood as a result of Tuesday evening's rain

Rev I M Hoel and Mrs Floyd Filmore were Wednesday visitors in Atwood

Mrs Peter Riner was reported ill Wednesday and suffering from gall stones

Mrs T H Ferguson Mrs Will Innis Mrs Orson Moorehead Forest and Loleta Loller Mr and Mrs C Ed Cox were among the Tuscola people who were in Champaign on Wednesday Mrs Cox left Champaign Wednesday evening for Annapolis Md to witness the graduation of her nephew Ralph Roberts from the National Naval Academy Young Mr Roberts formerly lived here and is the son of the late Attorney Thomas W Roberts He attended the Tuscola schools through the grades and later attended the schools of Decatur

O. K.'S SUPERVISION OF PACKING PLANTS

Washington May 30—Approval by President Wilson of a policy of supervision over the meat packing industry without actual government operation unless enforcement of regulatory measures is found to be impossible was announced last night by the food administration

This policy was included in recommendation of the committee which the president appointed recently to report upon policies to be pursued with regard to the industry and all of which Mr Wilson approved

Mrs. McDaniel's Mother Dead.

Word has been received of the death of Mrs Saunders of Springfield mother of Mrs R I McDaniel formerly of this city Her death occurred last week Mr McDaniels, who was formerly pastor of Grace church in Decatur is now pastor of First Methodist church in Mattoon

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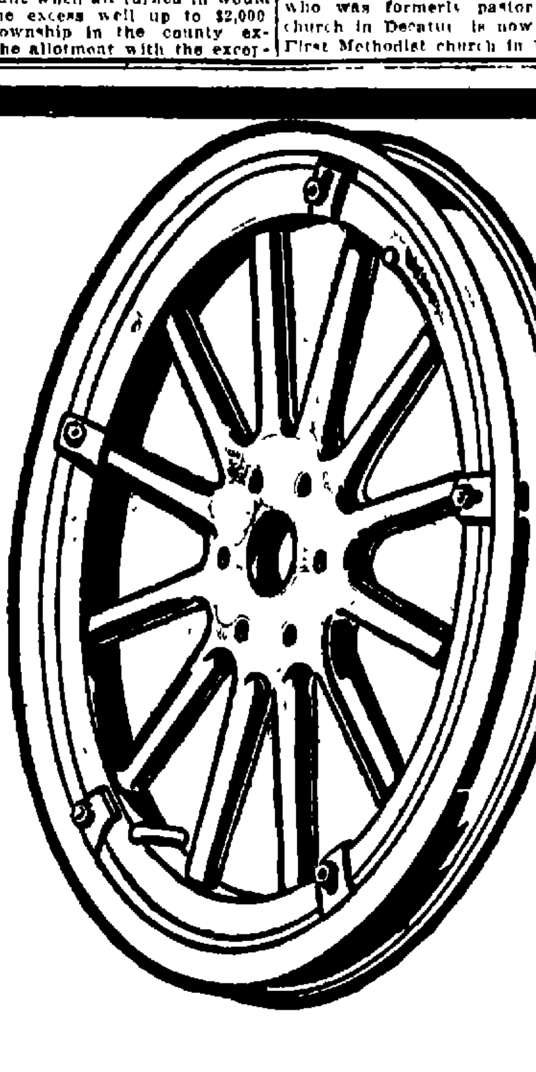

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Local Notices

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MADAM LYNN

—HAS RETURNED TO HER HOME AT MONTICELLO ILL. WEBSTER CROSSING PHONE NO 445

HERMAN KEOPPE ENJOYING LIFE

Decatur Railroader Located 17 Miles From Joe Slade.

Officer Herman Keoppe yesterday had a letter from his son Herman, who is now in the army service in France Herman, Jr is an engineer and went out with an engineering regiment from St Louis He is now running an engine in the war zone

In his letter he does not say much about the war but speaks mainly about himself He is having the best of health he says, and is getting along nicely He has not seen Joe Slade for some time He is located about seventeen miles from Slade and they do not have many opportunities to meet

COTTON INDUSTRY HIT BY ORDER

Washington May 30—Important restrictions on the operation of cotton mills which will vitally affect the American cotton industry have been imposed by the British cotton control board according to consular dispatches Spinning mills will be licensed when engaged on American cotton up to fifty per cent of total spindles 40 hours a week

CONDUCT ANDRES INQUEST AT ARCOLA

Arcola May 30—Deputy Coroner Blaine of Tuscola opened an inquest here Wednesday afternoon to inquire into the death of Ida Mae Andres of this city, who died [illegible] at Memorial hospital Mattoon under suspicious circumstances

States Attorney Emory Andrews of Coles county States Attorney Duhamel of Douglas county and Attorney H G Peal of Mattoon are conducting the investigation while Attorney William J Moran of Mattoon is representing the interests of J L Kimery of Tuscola upon whom the state prosecutors are attempting to fix the blame for the girl's death

At 5 p m the coroner adjourned the inquest until Friday morning at 8 o'clock The body of the dead girl is to be taken up and an autopsy will be performed

J L Kimery of Tuscola was one of a dozen witnesses called this afternoon At the time of the girl's death Kimery told relatives that he and Miss Andres were man and wife but would give them no information as to when the wedding had occurred

On the stand today he said that they had not been married but had intended to be wedded He said the reason he had said they were married was in the effort to protect the girl's good name He said that he had first became acquainted with Miss Andres when she was employed as a teacher at the Brick school seven miles southeast of Tuscola That was four years ago There had been mutual attachment and they had been frequently together during the past three years

On Sunday Dec 29 1917 Miss Andres had suffered a fall while crossing the Illinois Central tracks at Mattoon The fall brought on an illness and for the next four or five days she had been in bed in a room in a Mattoon hotel When her condition became serious Kimery testified that he wanted to call a physician. The girl insisted that he call his cousin Dr C W Kimery of Allenville The latter visited the girl in the room and treated her on Tuesday On Thursday she was taken to Memorial hospital Physicians were preparing to perform a surgical operation but decided that she would be unable to live through it and did not attempt to operate Her death occurred at 1 0 o'clock that evening Jan 3 1918 The funeral services were held in Arcola a day or two later

DRANK 19 GLASSES TO PASS NAVAL TEST

Arcola May 30—Hugh Huddleston of this city wanted to join the United States navy so much that he drank nineteen glasses of water and ate half a dozen bananas in order to make the required weight The effort was successful and he will report at Peoria next Monday

Hugh is the junior member of the firm of Huddleston & Son proprietors of the Wide-Awake drug store of this city Monday he went to Champaign in company with Howard Huffman and Horace Munson All of them were anxious to join the navy, but Hugh was for pounds below the required weight He sought to make up the deficit by drinking water and managed to get fourteen glasses down He went back to the recruiting station and weighed but still lacked two pounds

The recruiting officer suggested that the best way to make weight was to eat bananas and drink more water so Hugh went down and ate half dozen bananas and drank five more glasses of water That brought him up to standard weight but he had great difficulty in keeping it down until he got through with the examination

DR DOW'S INQUIRIES

F F Dow of Neoga has received a telegram from Secretary of State Robert Lansing which gives the following information as to the extent of the injuries of his son Lieut J N Dow of this city who was first reported killed but later was located as a prisoner of the Germans

"Telegram received from American Minister Berne Switzerland quotes Spanish Embassy reports Lieut Julian N Dow wounded by projectile which entered left side of neck penetrating palate Projectile extracted from right side of neck adjoining larynx Suffering from paralysis of left arm but general appearance good On day of visit of Spanish delegate hospital director stated although wound was serious great improvement had been noted"

Dr Dow is a prisoner at Langensalza, Saxony

SAYS STRAUSE HAS HAD FAIR TRIAL

Peoria, May 30—After thanking the jurymen for their sacrifice and thanking Judge Robert J. Grier of Monmouth, Attorney Joseph Weil, counsel for the defendant, told the jury in the E A. Strause murder trial here today that no matter what the verdict would be, Strause had had a fair and impartial trial Weil was the only one to talk today

Weil explained to the jury the reasons why Strause had not told his story of the shooting previous to the trial His argument ended at noon when court recessed until tomorrow morning in observance of Memorial day

Will Attend Convention.

Mrs Alice G Evans, librarian of the Decatur public library, will attend the annual convention of the American Library association at Saratoga Springs, N Y June 28 The trip will include trips on Lake Champlain Lake George and visits to interesting places in the Adirondack mountains.

$80,000 IS RED CROSS TOTAL

Still Tabulating Pledges at Headquarters.

The Work of tabulating the Red Cross subscriptions was suspended for Decoration Day and the hard working volunteers who have been on the job almost night and day for two to three weeks, decided to forget the thousands of cards, receipts and other details for a day The total has reached $80,000

A number of subscription lists are still to come in from factories and townships but it is expected that the work will be closed up this week

AT STALEY COMPANY

One of the most efficient organizations in the city for this kind of work within an institution is that at the A E Staley Manufacturing Co.

For bond selling and for the Red Cross fund the men within the factory look after the subscriptions

A H Kelling, superintendent, and James H Galloway, night superintendent, and under them the foremen of the different departments divide the work and in this way each part of each department is supervised by a foreman who takes the responsibility on himself for his men

Raymond Augur, chief accountant, looks after the office force and the men not directly in the milling departments

This is one of the 100 per cent institutions and the nearly 400 men employed there made a good subscription to the Red Cross fund as well as buying $37 000 worth of the last issue of Liberty Bonds

MORE DECATUR MEN OVERSEAS

SERGT WEILEPP SAFE.

Mrs E S Weilep Wednesday received card and cablegram announcing the safe arrival overseas of her son Sergeant Edward Weilepp He is with headquarters company, 124th Machine Gun battalion

BLALOCK ARRIVES.

Word was received of the safe arrival overseas of Ralph Blalock Mr Blalock has been at Camp Logan and is a rifle range instructor

WALTER CARMANY ARRIVES

Mrs J Carmany has received a card telling of the safe arrival overseas of her son, Walter Carmany

Decatur Club Officers Elected.

The election of officers of the Decatur club took place Wednesday night, and the ticket previously announced was elected

President—J M Allen

Vice president—John W Clugston

Secretary-treasurer—C R Stevens

Directors — George E Hays and Charles R Murphy

No other business came before the club

Gives Bond for Appearance.

Orville Dickerson, charged with contributing to the delinquency of Rosy Lee, gave bond Wednesday before Justice H C Noble in the sum of $200 to appear for hearing next Tuesday afternoon It is understood that Dickerson's defense is that he is also under 16 years

TWO WABASH MEN TO FT. HARRISON

Harry Johnson and Homer Knotts the former a Wabash switchman, and the latter a fireman, left on Wabash train No 4 Wednesday for Fort Benjamin Harrison Indianapolis where they will enter the engineering regiment

Harry Johnson is the son of Joseph Johnson of Boody and is the second of two sons to go into the army The other son, Travis, left last Thursday and is now somewhere in Texas The last word from him was a post card mailed at Texarkana

EDWARD CROWDER GOING TO FRANCE

Former Y. M. C. A. Secretary to Engage in Army Y. Work.

Edward Crowder former assistant secretary of the Decatur Y M C A. now engaged in the real estate and insurance business at Springfield was in Decatur for a few hours Wednesday evening Mr Crowder is planning to enter army Y M C A work and expects to leave for France in about a month

MORE GIFTS FOR OVER TOP SHOP

Large Quantity of Goods on Hand for Opening.

Offers of gifts for the Over the Top shop continue to come in, and indications are that by the time the shop is ready to be opened, there will be a large quantity of goods on hand

So far no one has been secured to do the papering, but as soon as that is done the work of getting the room into order for the opening will be rushed.

Family Reunion.

A family reunion was held at the home of Mr and Mrs. John H Richey 704 West Marietta street, Sunday, in honor of Charles Hanson, son of Mrs Richey

A number of people from out of town were present, among them being Mr and Mrs Albert Clapp and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Clapp and family, Mrs Emily J Clapp, Miss Nellie Clapp and James Hanson, all of Atwood Mr. and Mrs Charles T. Clapp and son of Springfield Decatur people present were Mr. and Mrs William Harshbarger and family Mr and Mrs Rex Terhune John S. Crain and Mr and Mrs Charles Hanson

A box was fixed up during the day for Corporal Ira Harshbarger, who is in Camp Cody

Priscilla Pleasure Club.

The Priscilla Pleasure club will meet Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs Thomas Glass on Cottage Hill avenue, at 2.30 o'clock.

WHITE SOX WIN IN 11 INNINGS

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Cleveland, O, May 30—The Chicago White Sox defeated Cleveland 4 to 3, in an eleven-inning game here Thursday morning The score

	R	H	E
Chicago	4	15	1
Cleveland	3	11	2

Batteries — Williams and Schalk Enzman and O'Neill

	R	H	E
Washington	1	9	4
Boston	9	12	0

Batteries—Shaw, Hanson and Ainsmith, Leonard and Schang

First game, Philadelphia-New York postponed, wet grounds

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	R	H	E
Cincinnati	9	10	1
Chicago	6	10	0

Batteries—Toney and Wingo Tyler Weaver, Carter and Killifer

	R	H	E
St Louis	0	4	1
Pittsburgh	8	10	0

Batteries—Packard and Gonzales, Miller and Schmidt

WILL REOPEN THE LINCOLN SQUARE

Nate Erber Plans to Close for the Summer.

Nate Erber, manager of the Lincoln Square theater, announces that the theater will be closed for the usual summer season within a short time, but that he will re-open the house in the fall along the same lines on which it has been so successfully run during the past season

Mr. Erber has made himself very much a citizen of Decatur, and his willingness to do his share in all lines of patriotic activities has made a place for him in the ranks of the effective workers for the benefit of the city He is chairman of the entertainment committee of the Industrial show, and in his work there W H Wiley, chairman of the executive committee, has frankly stated that 'he is a bear'

Any stories that Nate will not be back in Decatur next fall he says are entirely erroneous He expects to have even a more successful year next than this, as he will know the community even better than he does now He will probably spend most of his summer in Danville, where he has a picture house

EFFECT ON HIGH CLASS RAILROADERS

One With Easy Job Is Working in St. Louis at Lower Salary.

It is stated that many traffic men holding good positions before the order abrogating all offices not on the railroads' own lines are still dangling in the air, where this order left them Some have been compelled to accept minor positions at low salaries An example is cited in the case of the Wabash representative at Los Angeles He has for 20 years been holding that position His salary was $220 a month or more, his duties were light and pleasant, and his position altogether a desirable one. Before the railroads were taken over by the government there was every reason for him to believe that he would continue in this position as long as he cared to remain in the service Now he is a clerk in the Wabash offices at St Louis, probably at a reduced salary and with real work to do

WRIST WATCH FOR CURLY EVANS

Handsome Present Made By Friends at Elks' Club.

Elk friends of Clifton A 'Curly' Evans, who leaves Thursday night with Decatur's draft contingent for Fort Thomas, Ky, sprung a surprise on him at noon today by presenting him with a handsome solid gold, 15-jewel movement Elgin wrist watch The watch is a beauty and there is no prouder man in all Decatur today than Mr Evans He prizes the gift highly and most of all the spirit in which it was given by his loyal friends

The inscription on the back of the watch reads 'C 'Curly' A Evans presented by Elk friends Decatur, Ill U S A

UNION IRON WORKS "OVER THE TOP"

All of the Employes Subscribe For Red Cross Fund.

Another one of the Decatur industries to go 'over the top' on the Red Cross drive is the Union Iron Works Every employe of that institution subscribed for the fund, and as there are about 125 employes there the sum was a substantial one

DATE SET FOR MUELLER PICNIC

Big Event At Fairview Park on Saturday, Aug. 17.

Saturday August 17 has been decided upon as the date for the annual Mueller picnic, which will be held as usual in Fairview park No committees have been named or other arrangements yet made for this big affair

DEMONSTRATION OF CHILDREN'S WORK

J M U. Child Culture Department to Give Program

Circle work done during the year in the way of interpretation of nursery stories and rhymes, and rhythmical work will be demonstrated by the Child Culture department of the Millikin Conservatory of Music Thursday evening in the Millikin auditorium The program will begin at 7 15 o'clock

No program is being arranged in advance for this demonstration but the work will be entirely impromptu, as in this way the natural work of the children can be seen Material which has been had by the children during the year will be given just as the children themselves will suggest

The demonstration of ear training and piano will not take place until the musical to be held in June

The child culture department is starting two new branch schools A nine weeks term will begin next Thursday at Tuscola On Wednesday of this week a six weeks term will open at Argenta The regular classes in Cisco and Bement will continue as usual Already there are large enrollments in all the classes.

MARKETS

MARKET GOSSIP

LONDON SILVER

London May 30—Bar silver 48¼d per ounce

Money 3 per cent

LIVE STOCK

Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City May 30—HOGS — Receipts 6 000 head market lower Bulk of sales $16 35@16 50, heavy $16 25@16 45 light $16 50@16 55 pigs $16 00@16 66

CATTLE — Receipts 5 000 head, market steady Steers $14 00@17 25 cows $8 00@13 00 heifers $10 00@11 00 calves $9 50@13 00

SHEEP — Receipts 4 000 head market higher lambs $15 00@20 75 yearlings $14 00@16 25 wethers $11 00@16 50, ewes $11 00@16 25

St. Louis Live Stock.

St Louis May 30—HOGS — Receipts 7 500 head market lower light $16.50@16 70 pigs $16 00@16 75 mixed $16 35@16 65 heavy $16 35@16 50, bulk of sales $16 25@16 60

CATTLE — Receipts 1 500 head market steady. Steers $11 50@17 60 yearling steers and heifers $9 50@15 50 cows $7 50@13 75) calves $7 75@14 00

SHEEP — Receipts 1 750 head market steady Lambs $14 00@17 60 ewes $12 00@14 00

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago May 30—Absence of shipping demand together with the fact that the big packers did not kill today, had a depressing effect today on the hog market Cattle offerings were relatively light. Most of the sheep that arrived went to packers direct

HOGS—Receipts 18 000 head estimated receipts for Friday 12 000 head market slow 20 cents under yesterday's average Bulk of sales $16 20@16 60 light $16 40@16 85 mixed $16 20@16 65 heavy $15 75@16 57 rough $15 25@16 50 pigs $14 50@16 70

CATTLE — Receipts 8 000 head estimated receipts for Friday 2 000 head market steady Native steers $10 50@17 60 stockers and feeders $9 25@13 65 cows and heifers $7 25@14 00 calves $8 00@13 25

SHEEP — Receipts 9 000 head estimated receipts for Friday 6 000 head market steady Sheep $10 00@15 50 lambs $13 50@17 75 springs $14 25@20 00

Cleveland Live Stock.

U S Yards, Cleveland May 30 Rice & Bowen report hog receipts 1 500 head market steady Yorkers mediums and pigs $17 20 calves $11 00@15 50 lambs $16 00@17 60 cattle $8 50@16 50

Mrs. O'Toole Entertains.

Mrs Ed O'Toole entertained the Ladies' Auxiliary to Spanish War Veterans Tuesday afternoon The house was decorated with flags and flowers and a two course luncheon served by the hostess Miss Mame O'Toole furnished the music and all had a delightful time The women met at their hall on South Park street Thursday at 12 30 in uniform and marched to the cemetery for the memorial exercises

How are the Roads?

Pana—Roads continue in fine condition The dusty condition was relieved slightly by a little shower Wednesday afternoon

Tuscola—The road conditions are spotted following the streaks of rain on Tuesday evening One mile may be dry and smooth while the next may be muddy

Mt Pulaski—Roads are muddy

Illiopolis—A light shower fell here but did not affect the roads which are in pretty good condition

SOME RAINS

There were some heavy rains in the neighborhood of Decatur Wednesday and the muddy cars in the garages that night testified to the condition of the roads in many directions S A Conklin, J Rupe and W F Rupe and wife started out from Springfield Wednesday for Indianapolis but they struck a rain storm near Illiopolis and were compelled to hire a team to pull them out of trouble before they could get to Decatur

Another man coming down from Bloomington had grief near Wapella for two miles where he found the mud almost impassable

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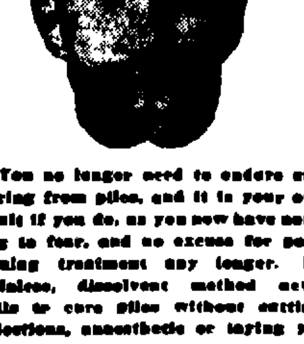

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"DROP GERMAN FROM SCHOOLS"

No More Should Be Taught, Says Rev. T. H. Marsh in Memorial Day Address—Impressive Exercises.

That the United States is today facing the greatest test in her history was brought out in the impressive interesting Memorial day exercises at the Lincoln Square theater Thursday afternoon. The theater was filled with people who had come to pay respects to the veterans who had kept the Union, whole in the trying days of 1861-65

Members of Dunham Post No 141, G A R, and the Women's Relief Corps attended the exercises in a body. Places of honor were reserved for them on the stage and in the center tier of seats The stage was appropriately decorated in the national colors

DROP GERMAN, HE SAYS

Rev. T Harley Marsh pastor of the First Baptist church delivered the address of the day He declared that this Memorial day is perhaps the most momentous the nation has ever seen. He said that the children of this country should be brought up Americans, not Germans, and that the teaching of German in the public schools should be stopped The speaker said in part

RESPECT FOR G A R

"Mr Chairman, surviving members of the Grand Army of the Republic and ladies of the auxiliary, I consider it a great personal honor and privilege to have been asked by the members of Dunham Post to deliver the address on this occasion I was born and reared in a town where the very best citizens were old soldiers and from my earliest youth I was taught to respect them as the men who had given themselves to fight for the nation for four long years of the Civil war

"As I have grown older that feeling of respect has grown deeper with the better understanding of the great conflict of fifty years ago and yet while I realize this to be an honor I am rather overwhelmed with the sense of great issues which make this Memorial day perhaps the most momentous the nation has ever seen I feel much as the celebrated English author has recently said, 'We are unable to write now, things are too big for us

"When I view the vast struggle with the eternal issues at stake when I behold the pouring out of the best blood of our nation in sacrifice for the deliverance of man I feel much as if I stood before the Cross of Christ on which he died for the redemption of men

TIME FOR DEEDS

This is not a time for many words but for deeds In the language of Moses to his people at the Red Sea 'I would admonish you in solemn tones to remember this day

"The progress and growth of the nation does not take place as an orderly process but as a series of violent paroxisms and these paroxisms are usually great wars It is in the fire of conflict alone that human society has been purged of its dross In times of great industrial expansion has been the current of human thought and conduct runs more and more turbid, then comes the thunder bolt of war and the air is instantly purified thought is clarified and in a flash right and wrong stands clearly defined and entirely distinct

"It was in the lightning flash of war that our forefathers saw the great fact that the free people of all the earth are themselves a people and that other great truth for which we are even fighting today that 'governments derive their just power from the consent of the governed' Following the Revolution there was a great period of industrial expansion in which the thought man grew confused The old declaration of independence was sensed because slavery flourished A commercial selfishness blinded the eyes of good people to their hypocrisy The north was rich and contented, fearful only of this United States The south was rich and proud and fearful only of losing their slaves The shot at Sumpter crystalized the issue and men say clearly once more

"Comrades you remember those stirring days how the hearts of the nation surged into new life Men forgot self in the great call to defend the flag The nation was reborn I say to you of a younger generation you do well to honor these soldiers who survived and to weave garlands for the dead

"And now today, we are in the midst of a war greater than that in which you old soldiers engaged For three years we had remained neutral because our moral ideals were clouded. Nothing but war would have brought us out of this great trance But the awakening has come Once more the miracle of a nation reborn has taken place Our self centered remote nationalism went down and out forever Old selfish standards disappeared in an hour the war was 3,000 miles away, we had not even heard a hostile cannon shot but on purely unselfish and spiritual grounds we have gone to war Losing ourselves in this great war, we have found new love for the right and a stronger hatred for the wrong Better still the war is going to abolish the hyphen Out of the great struggle we are to emerge Americans all This is America let us see to it that the children are brought up to be Americans—not Germans Should we drop German from the public schools? Certainly It should never have had a place in undergraduate schools and would not have been placed there had it not been for insidious pro-German influence.

"This is the great day of awakening and emancipation and we are beginning to see the dawn of the day which Tennyson foretold '

MANY FLOWERS PLACED ON GRAVES

About the usual number of flowers were offered the G A R Thursday morning to be used in making bouquets to place on graves of dead veterans. Most of these came from schools, three trucks and a group of Boy Scouts being kept busy during the fore part of the morning in gathering up the flowers

The work was done earlier than usual and by 10 o clock 300 bouquets had been made and sent to the cemeteries About 150 more were being made up Despite the large number of flowers in bloom at this time and the greater variety than usual it was necessary for the post to buy a few flowers The gathering of the flowers was in charge of Henry Barnhart and the making of the bouquets in charge of women of the W R C

J J Moran chairman of the job of securing automobiles had plenty of machines to take the members of the G A R and W R C to the cemetery He secured about 50 cars

MUELLER EMPLOYES HONOR DEAD

March to Cemetery Headed by Band.

Close to 100 Mueller employes headed by the Mueller band marched from the factory to Greenwood cemetery Thursday morning to hold their annual Memorial services over the graves of deceased members of the firm and members of families of the firm

A short talk was made by John Shelton, a department foreman and flowers were placed on the graves Mr Shelton also read a list of Mueller employes who have died and a separate list of those dieing during the past year Members of the band also placed wreathes on a few graves of band members who have died

MEMORIAL DAY AT ST. TERESA'S

Little Folk from School Enjoy Day on the Lawn.

On Memorial day the St Teresa's academy grounds, north of town were a scene of a very pretty juvenile festivity At 10 a m the little folks of the second and third grades of St Patrick's parochial school took possession of the convent grounds and held a jolly picnic After greeting their respective teachers all went to the convent chapel to inaugurate the day with a little act of piety After that the grounds resounded with their games and laughter They were made free of the whole place so they explored to their hearts' content waded in the little creek made friends with all the kittens bunnies and chicks on the farm took their dinner out under the trees and finally after a luncheon of ice cream and cake ended their day of joy by assisting at solemn benediction in the convent chapel at 5 p m

Messrs Moran Quinn McGowan and Wayne kindly offered their autos for the transportation of the little ones

RAYMOND DENZ SAFE OVERSEAS

Decatur Hospital Interpreter Has Reached Port.

Mr and Mrs F A Denz 470 Ewing avenue received a cable message Wednesday evening announcing the safe arrival of their son Raymond somewhere overseas He went as an interpreter with a hospital corps which left for a foreign port about two weeks ago

4-MINUTE MEN SPEAK TONIGHT

American, 8 30—Rev D C Beatty
Avon 8 15—J O Engleman
Bijou, 8 30—Prof W J Risley
Crescent 8 00—W L Augustine
Crystal 7 45 — Prof L C McDermott
Empress 8 15—Rev F A Havighurst
Lincoln Square, 7 45 — Rev Frank Fox
Orpheum, 8 00—J W Hawley
Paris, 8 00—Ralph Monroe

The four minute men will read Lincoln's Gettysburg address at the theaters tonight The regular meeting of four minute men will take place at the Council of Defense rooms Friday evening at 7 30 A full attendance is desired

Farewell for Two Soldiers.

Mrs J B Merritt gave a farewell party Wednesday evening at her home, 505 East Division street, in honor of Earl Collins and John Rowe, who left Thursday for Fort Thomas Ky Mr Collins has been an engineer on the Vandalia, and Mr Rowe was formerly engaged in farming near Forsyth

The evening was spent in music and cards and the presentation of many useful gifts to the young men Refreshments were served in which the color scheme was khaki and white

News from the Sick Beds

W W Conard, who was run over by an automobile Monday, is getting along nicely at the Decatur and Macon county hospital and word from there Wednesday noon was that he would be out within two weeks

P E Shutt underwent an operation at the Decatur and Macon county hospital Tuesday morning. He is getting along nicely.

NO KISSING AT WABASH STATION

Company of Negro Soldiers Goes Through.

There was no kissing objectionable or otherwise noticed in the case of a soldier train that arrived in Decatur about 11 o clock this morning Possibly this was because of the discussion of the subject in all of its bearings through the columns of The Review or may be it was partly due to the fact that the train stole into Decatur unawares and very few girls were at the station

At any rate so far as critical observers could determine there was not a single kiss not even any holding of hands When this was mentioned to a group of canteen workers one of them said 'You can t sometimes always tell A thing of this kind is liable to break loose at any moment" But the train left the station without a single soldier being kissed at least publicly

PICKED MEN

The train carried the headquarters company of a negro regiment of the 2d division from Camp Funston While the train was being iced and watered the troops detrained and marched up town They were well drilled and made an excellent appearance on the street A headquarters company is always made up of picked men that is of men especially qualified for certain duties about headquarters The company officers were all negroes The detachment was in command of a white major and all of the headquarters officers were white

BIG FUNERAL FOR J. E. OTT

The funeral of John E Ott Sr was held at 3 o clock Wednesday afternoon at St Paul's German Lutheran church following a short service at the family residence The services were conducted by the pastor Rev Theodore Lohrmann It was one of the largest funerals ever held at St Paul's church The building was crowded with friends Mr Ott had been one of the most faithful attendants for over half a century and he was personally known and liked by every member of the congregation

Seldom have so many flowers been seen at a funeral It required three automobiles to take them from the church to the cemetery

The music was furnished by the regular choir of the church, composed of Mr and Mrs Edward Frahlman, Walter Frahlman, Helen Frahlman and Max R Scheiter

The flowers were in charge of Mrs Wilson Miss Anna Schilie Miss Lillie Elmers Miss Ruth Ott, Miss Helen Ott Miss Hortense Ott, Mrs Margaret Peyer Miss Edna Peyer Miss Regina Requarth, Miss Martha Theobald Harold Ott Robert Ott and Karl Peyer

The pallbearers were Frank Plummer Henry Schilie Herman Grebe John Keck John Keinath A Glatz and Fred Ferber The interment was in Greenwood

DOUBLE FUNERAL

The double funeral of Melvie Irene and Melvin Knotts twin babies of Mr and Mrs I A Knotts 667 North Third street was held at 2 o clock Wednesday afternoon at the Moran chapel There was a large attendance of friends The services were conducted by Rev I L McGiffin pastor of Sargent Methodist church The music was furnished by Miss Vera McGiffin and Mrs Charles C Sutter The interment was in Greenwood

MRS JULIANNA KELLER

The funeral of Mrs Julianna Keller will be held at 9 o'clock Friday morning at St Maurice's Catholic church in Morrisonville The funeral party will leave Decatur on the Wabash train at 6 30 o clock Friday morning

HENRY L STIMMEL

The funeral of Henry L Stimmel will be held at 3 o clock Friday afternoon at the family residence 1114 North College street The services will be conducted by Rev J W McDonald pastor of the Second Presbyterian church, assisted by Rev N M Baker The interment will be in Fairlawn cemetery

ROBERT CRAYCROFT

The body of Robert Craycroft, son of Mr and Mrs F E Craycroft of Macon and son-in-law of Mr and Mrs John I Pasold of Decatur, arrived from Manitou, Colo at 4 o'clock Thursday morning and was taken to the Dawson chapel to remain till time for the funeral, which will be held at 3 o clock Friday afternoon at the residence of Mr and Mrs John I Pasold 508 West Macon street. The interment will be in the Mt Gilead cemetery

LOUIS WOLF

The funeral of Louis Wolf will be held at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon at Moran's chapel The interment will be in Fairview cemetery J J Moran received a message from Mrs C G Gette of San Diego, Cal, Thursday morning, stating that she would be unable to be present at the funeral of her brother Mrs Wolf, who died two weeks ago, left some life insurance for her husband, it is understood The court will be asked to appoint an administrator for the estate

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Dexter Reynolds Decatur	Legal
Eva Camden, South Wheatland Tp.	Legal
Fred Samel, Decatur	30
Areville M Rees Decatur	30
John F Trackham Sacramento Cal	31
Alwilda Hunt Decatur	31
Vincent R Ernst Decatur	21
Opal Wiggins Bement	20

Cottage Prayer Meeting.

The cottage prayer meeting of the Riverside Baptist church will be held Friday night at the home of Mrs. Knisley, 1939 Cleveland avenue.

BUSINESS MEN PARADE TONIGHT

Procession Leaves Court House at 8 o'clock.

HONOR DRAFT MEN

Goodman Band and Militia Companies Out.

Decatur business and professional men have been asked by H I Baldwin to turn out this evening and march in the parade in honor of the draft men The parade will be held at 8 o'clock starting from the court house and Mr Baldwin is anxious that the business and professional men show their regard for the boys who are going to the front

It is impossible to give the complete list of the fifty city men and thirty county men who will leave this evening for Fort Thomas, Brent, Ky, for the reason that two of the men scheduled to go have not yet taken their examination, and the further reason that several of the men called are from one department of the Wabash and to take them all would seriously interfere with the railroad company

HIT WABASH HARD

When the men report for retreat roll call if there are enough to make up the city contingent without taking all of the Wabash men some of the latter will be left behind until the next call By that time the railroad company will probably have been able to secure men to fill their places The draft has hit the Wabash hard Several departments where all are practically skilled mechanics have been depleted to the point where close figuring is required to maintain the working organization Other railroads have been hit the same way, so it is next to impossible to get skilled men to fill the places of those called in the draft

PARADE AT 8 P M

The men will meet at 7 o clock tonight for retreat roll call at the court house They will leave at 9 o clock on a special C, I & W, train for Fort Thomas Ky arriving there between 7 and 8 o clock Friday morning

The men will be given a rousing send off this evening The parade will form at the court house at 8 o'clock and march north on Water street to Cerro Gordo street and then east to the Wabash station

The parade will be headed by the Goodman band and Company H, 10th Regiment I N G, and the companies of the Illinois Reserve Militia will act as an escort The fife and drum corps will also be in the parade

It was the turn of Beaumanoir band to head this parade but some of the members are out of the city and so the Goodman band is again called to lead the parade Beaumanoir band will probably take the next bunch

LIST OF COUNTY MEN.

The official list of the thirty men to be sent tonight by the Macon county exemption board follows, the last six named being sent from the addresses given instead of coming back to Decatur first

Frank Burcham Long Creek
Albert C Quick R 8 Decatur
Charles H Brown Humbolt Ia
Fred Karl Macon
Raymond A Day Moweaqua
John W Rowe R 2 Decatur
Jacob L Haas R 2 Decatur
Orville G Smith Rock Island
Lloyd S Stephenson Columbia City Ind
Ora L Langley Macon
Grover C Vantries Maroa
Elmer L Kilck N Edward St Decatur,
Russell Bronson E William St
Isaac H Deakins R 6 Decatur
Glenn I Marvin Cisco
Herman Karloski R 6 Decatur
Emil E Bork Decatur
Henry B Hughey W King.
Earl Mayberry Oreana
Ernest J Loftus, Niantic,
Charles M Ervin Niantic
Anthony Stoutenborough, Maroa
Archie P McIntosh Oreana.
Leonard C Wise Macon
William Dreman Assumption
Clarence White, Hawsville Ky
Marion Thomas Gilpin Ky
Joseph A Brewer Orchardville Ill
Herman W Bergman Nashville Ill
George T Brawn Waterloo Ill
Evan Montgomery, Crestwood Ky

H. D. GREIDER TO MOVE RESTAURANT

To Corner of East Main and Water This Fall.

Harvey D Greider will probably move his cafe to the building now occupied by the Strand theater, at the corner of East Main and Water streets, some time the coming fall or winter

Mr. Greider has accepted the proposition made to him by Robert I Hunt, the owner of the building, and the making of the formal papers now awaits Mr Hunt's return to the city

Mr. Greider's lease on the space he now occupies does not expire until February 1919 so that ample time will be given for the remodeling of the room which he will occupy in his new location

A basement will be excavated and fitted up for the use of the new tenant and the first floor will be entirely remodeled into a strictly up-to-date high class restaurant and lunch room.

Farewell for E. J. Steinlicht.

E J. Steinlicht, who has recently enlisted in the navy, was given a farewell party Wednesday evening at his home, 824 East Eldorado street. His friends took a collection to purchase a wrist watch for him before he goes He is to leave on Friday morning

Those present were Mr and Mrs Frank Kiser, F G Boyer, Mr. and Mrs Arthur Smith, Mr and Mrs Diller, Mrs H E Butcher, Mrs Alice short, Mrs M High Mrs E H Shields of Toledo O, Mrs H Merrett, Mr and Mrs Harry Applebaum, Dave Applebaum, G. L. Lindsey and J. T. Edwards

POULTRY AND EGG SHIPPERS MEET

U. S. Food Man Will Address Gathering.

A special meeting of Illinois Poultry and Egg Shippers to be held in Decatur next Monday has been called by Secretary C L Hatfield of the association, the meeting to be in Room 725 Wait building, it will probably last all day Monday

The occasion for the meeting is the visit here of D. P Boehm, a representative of the U S Food Administration In most lines of business, the government is calling representatives from every state to Washington but in this case, the desire is to reach every poultry and egg man, whether he is a member of the state association or not consequently the government is sending the representative out to the shippers This meeting will be open to all dealers whether association members or not

EGG CANDLING

The object of Mr Boehm's coming is to discuss egg candling, prevention of egg damage in transportation minimum weight for car loads and shipments of ice packed poultry The time is at hand for the civilian population to turn to eggs and poultry as much as possible and the government is doing everything possible for a big supply

Candling is to become an important feature of the egg business and the government is requesting to dealers to include cards in every case of eggs packed The cards state on one side that the eggs have been candled and on the other side give instructions relative to handling eggs This explains that eggs should be chilled to a temperature of sixty degrees as soon as possible and be moved into cold storage

In this respect, a campaign is to be made among farmers to do as much for good eggs as shippers are doing Farmers will be asked to gather the eggs frequently and to put them into a cool place as soon as possible A temperature of six degrees or below is desired and the eggs should be brought in frequently so that they will be fresh

W. B. ROBINSON EIGHTY YEARS OLD

Veteran Came to Decatur 36 Years Ago.

William B Robinson father of John B Robinson and Mrs Alice R Pitner observed his eightieth birthday Wednesday There was no celebration of the event, except a family dinner

Evidently Decatur had as good a reputation for good schools thirty-six years ago as it does today because it was that which brought Mr Robinson to Decatur thirty-six years ago in order that his children might receive their education here he moved here and has since made his home in this city

Mr Robinson is a veteran of the Civial war and was in some of the well known army prisons, including Andersonville He was formerly a farmer, and since retiring he has always kept busy with work around the house and garden He is in splendid health considering his age

CITY CLUB TO HEAR BANCROFT

Centennial Dinner at the Y. M. C. A.

Arrangements have been made by the City club of Decatur for a special observance of the Illinois centennial to take place on next Tuesday evening June 4, at 6 o'clock Horace H Bancroft, assistant director of the Illinois centennial committee, will be the speaker His subject will be, "Illinois, Its Centennial'

Music for the event will be furnished by the Millikin male quartet The dinner will be for the members of the club and their wives The City club committee headed by L W Snerly is in charge of the event

All Day Sewing.

The women of the Central Church of Christ will have an all-day sewing Friday at the church In the afternoon a meeting of the Social Helpers will be held

Rev John R Golden went to Johnstown Thursday morning to give a Memorial day address

Railroad Shops Closed.

The railroad shops in Decatur are closed today All the freight houses are closed so far as the receiving and delivery of freight are concerned, and all local freight trains are annulled The office men in some of the freight houses were on duty this morning, taking the opportunity to clean up their desks

Miss Becker Receives Card.

Miss Stella Becker, Decatur's public health nurse has received her card which entitles her to do instruction in Red Cross nursing. She has also been transferred from the Lake division in which she was registered at Cincinnati to the Central Division in which this territory is included

BORN.

To Mr and Mrs Edward Grabowski, 1845 East Grand avenue May 20 a son. He has been named Ernest Frederick.

To Mr and Mrs. Homer D Woodward at Detroit Monday May 27 a seven pound daughter Mrs. Woodward was formerly Miss Lora Park of Decatur

To Mr. and Mrs Merle Lefever 2540 East Eldorado street, Sunday, May 26, 1918, a son.

PLANES ARRIVE FROM RANTOUL

Two Machines Come for Memorial Game.

SOAR OVER THE CITY

Captains Smith and Lewis Are Pilots.

Rantoul's two flying machines coming down for the Staley-Aviators ball game Thursday afternoon sprang a surprise and came Thursday morning instead People who are becoming used to that pretty rythmetic purr of the motors were somewhat surprised shortly before 11 o clock to be attracted by the sound and to discover the two machines soaring over the city

WHERE THEY LANDED

One machine alighted in a pasture about 1,000 feet almost due north of the P B Sullivan home on West Grand avenue and the other landed on the Schenck farm, better known as the old A T Metlin place about three-quarters of a mile due north of the K of P Children's home Both men were expecting to alight in the Staley ball park but could not find it so had to watch out for a good place to light

Both men were captains and each flew alone Captain Smith alighted in the Sullivan pasture and Captain Lewis becoming lost and getting somewhat short on gas, went down in the Schenck oats field It was a little rough going but he made the landing safely

A E Staley with a number of the aviators who were already here, went in the Staley car to the Sullivan pasture and arrangements were made to put a guard around the machine while Captain Smith was brought in for dinner Later another car was sent to get Captain Lewis the same arrangements being made to guard his machine

IN 45 MINUTES

Both men stated they expected to go up after dinner and making a landing at Staley field if conditions were favorable The two men made the trip of about sixty miles in about forty-five minutes The men soared over parts of the city for a time in a pretty manner and as usual thousands of necks were craned upward

Asked why the trip was made in the morning instead of the afternoon as had been expected Captain Smith smiled and said 'We're pretty lucky to come any time Apparently he had expected the ball game to be Thursday morning for he was searching for a ball park with a crowd of people he stated and failing to find any, started out to find a good place to land He said the Sullivan pasture was an excellent place Inside of a very short time after landing both machines were surrounded by crowds Both were the usual student biplane

200 VISITORS AT MASONIC MEETING

Many Nearby Towns Are Represented.

Between 200 and 250 visiting Masons are attending the joint meeting of Macon lodge No 8, Ionic lodge No 312, and Stephen Decatur lodge No 979 A F and A M at Eldorado temple today Lodges from Argenta, Harristown Cerro Gordo Warrensburg and Bement were present and took a prominent part in the work A 6 o'clock dinner will be served at the temple

The work began at 9 o clock in the morning and before the night is over six candidates will have taken degrees Ionic lodge No 312 had charge of the morning work The Master Mason degree was conferred on a candidate at 9 o clock by Argenta lodge No 871

DEGREES CONFERRED

At 10 30 o'clock the Master Mason degree was conferred on a candidate by Summit lodge No. 431 of Harristown

Luncheon was served at noon

The afternoon was in charge of Stephen Decatur lodge No 979 At 1 o clock the Master Mason's degree was conferred by Warrensburg lodge No 959

At 2 30 a candidate received the Master Mason degree from Cerro Gordo lodge No 600

At 4 o clock the Master Mason degree was conferred by Bement lodge No 365

Macon lodge No 8 will have charge of the evening work, and at 7 30 o'clock the Master Mason degree will be conferred by the Corn Belt Standard club

DECATUR COUPLE WED IN DETROIT

Miss Marie Mier is Bride of Lewis Bickes of This City.

A marriage license was issued in Detroit today to Lewis Bickes and Marie Mier of Decatur. The wedding is to take place at the home of Mr Bickes' mother, Mrs L. W. Bickes, in Detroit The couple will return to Decatur in a week or two and will go to housekeeping at the corner of Illinois street and Henderson avenue.

Mr. Bickes, who has been living at 240 North Calhoun street, is a mechanic at Starr's The bride is the daughter of Charles Mier, 944 Henderson avenue

THACKHAM-HUNT

John E Thackham, of Sacramento, Cal., and Miss Alwilda Hunt of Decatur were married at 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, the ceremony being performed by Judge J H. McCoy at the court house. The groom is a painter

Scraps of News

"UNDER THREE FLAGS '

One of the unusual decorations for Memorial Day was the stringing of three flags across South Main street by W L Shellabarger, a British flag, an American flag and a French flag flew side by side over the procession as it wended its way to the cemetery to do honor to the soldiers of the Civil war

MEETS FRIDAY

There was no meeting of the city council today, it being a holiday The council will meet at 10 o clock Friday morning

AT SURGEON S MEETING

Dr H C Jones returned Wednesday night from Cincinnati where he attended the annual meeting of the surgeons of the Pennsylvania railroad system

PLUCKY VETERAN

'Ride?' said one old soldier 'No, indeed, I m going to march I ll have to ride soon enough '

NO GRAIN MARKETS TODAY

Memorial day is a holiday and there are no grain markets

TO MEDICAL MEETING

Dr M L Bourne has gone to Chicago for clinical work for two weeks and to attend the meeting of the American Medical association

People You Know

Mrs George Childs clerk at the Wabash roundhouse has returned from a two weeks vacation spent in Texas

Mrs. Lester Schront and son Wayne left yesterday for Mattoon and Wheeler, Ill, for several weeks visit

Theresa Sheehy who has been attending the James Millikin university left Wednesday for her home in Clinton

Mrs Burt Jackson and daughter Opal, 658 West Center street, and Mr and Mrs Newton Kellington 1035 North Church street spent Sunday in Macon the guests of Mr and Mrs L A Nichols

Joe Michl has returned from a visit of ten weeks in California

Mr and Mrs Fred Dolson and Marie Mattchen have left for Fort Myer Va, for a visit to Private Stephen I Dolson They will return next Thursday

Chester Gouker 1039 North Church who has been home on a four-day furlough returned to Newport News Va today

Mr and Mrs E H Brannon daughter Thelma and son Daniel 1060 North Church street left Wednesday for Newport News, Va to visit their son and brother William Brannon, who is in the balloon corps

Mr and Mrs C L Newlin 1544 East Eldorado street, spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs G Coombs in Mt Pulaski

Mrs G A Pitts and Mrs Harper spent Wednesday in Bethany

HENRY A. OSBORN DIES AT HOME

Former Employe of Decatur Railway & Light Co. Expires.

Henry A Osborn died at 11 20 Thursday morning at the family residence 1229 East Leafland avenue, death being caused by pneumonia He had been ill only since last Thursday

He was born near Decatur Nov 7, 1875 For ten years he was connected with the Byrd Davis livery business and for seven years was with the Decatur Railway & Light Co For the last year he had been employed by the Leader Iron works He was a member of the First Baptist church and the Fasterly camp, 1626 M W A

He is survived by his wife, Carrie and four children Theodore Henry, Jr, Elmer and Leonora his parents, Mr and Mrs J F Osborn of Decatur, and the following sisters and brothers Mrs Martha McClelland, Bernice Osborn Dorothy Osborn, John and Minor C Osborn all of Decatur, Benjamin, soldier at San Antonio, Tex and Fred Osborn of Gideon Mo

The funeral will probably be held Saturday but definite arrangements are not yet made

UNION PRAYER SERVICES HELD

Churches Well Represented at the First Presbyterian.

Churches of the city were well represented at the union prayer service Thursday morning at the First Presbyterian church There was a good attendance at the meeting which was characterized by a spirit of prayer

Rev S H Long presided A solo 'Just As I Am ' was sung by Mrs Homer Bateman Prayer was offered by W H Penhallegon the president's proclamation was read by Rev F A Havighurst and scripture reading and prayer were given by Rev R E Henry Rev Frank Fox made a brief talk on 'Prayer in War Times 'and the meeting closed with prayer

FRANK STOEWSAND IN NAVAL BAND

Son of Assistant Postmaster Goes to Great Lakes.

Frank Stoewsand son of Assistant Postmaster Fred Stoewsand went to the Great Lakes naval training station Tuesday and enlisted in the Jackie band He goes into the service as a second class musician and could have been accepted in first class had he not been under age He has for some time been holding an excellent position in the army hospital branch offices at St Louis as a stenographer.

AWARD DIPLOMA TO DEAD GIRL

Miss Horton of Garrett on Millikin List.

IN ANNUAL EXERCISES

Rev. C. F. Wisehart of Chicago to be Speaker.

Annual commencement exercises of the James Millikin University will take place in the auditorium of the college at 9 30 o clock Friday morning

There will be thirty-four diplomas awarded to the class and one of the interesting incidents will be the giving of a degree to Bessie Fay Horton of Garrett who had completed the work but who recently died

There are also several members of the class who cannot be present because of the fact that they are in the government service and their degrees will be awarded 'in absentia '

C F WISHART SPEAKER

The principal adderss of the day will be given by Rev Charles Frederick Wishart D D pastor of the Second Presbyterian church of Chicago

After the exercises will occur the alumni luncheon in the gymnasium at 12 30 at which the graduating class will be guests

PROGRAM

Two pianos (Arensky) Silhouettes, Opus 23 No 5 (La Danseuse)—Ruth Muir Wilna Moffett

Invocation Quartet (Ladies Voices) (M L Swarthout) There Little Girl Don't Cry —Helen Grossman Doris Lewman-Gillespie Fredericka Green, Florence Flynn

Address to the Graduating class, The Sons of Mary and Martha'—Rev Charles Frederick Wishart D D, Pastor of Second Presbyterian church Chicago Illinois

Vocal solo, (W B Olds) Millikin Service Hymn, words by Marie Welch, Class of 1921 —W. B Olds

Conferring of degrees—President Emeritus A R Taylor

Benediction

GRADUATING CLASS.

MASTER OF ARTS

Emma Gregory A. B, Decatur.

BACHELOR OF ARTS

Grace Boyd Decatur
Margaret Cloyd Bement
Louise Foster Seymour Mo
Lowell Oscar Gill Decatur
Henrietta Sarah Graybill Decatur
Olive Marie Handshy Edwardsville.
Robert Madison Lamb Sturgis Ky
James Russell McDonald Decatur.
Helen Gladys Miller Decatur
Corwin Denison Querrey Decatur
Bernice Elmira Richard Odrian Mich.
Grace Mabel Riley Decatur
Angela Marguerite Shafer Decatur
Nelle Eileen Thompson Sullivan Ind.
Sabra Wilbolt Kansas

BACHELOR OF ARTS IN EDUCATION.

Clarence Cyrus Cox Marion
Beulah Jean Pelton Decatur.
Frieda Mae Smith Decatur
Ruth Eliza Wilkin Vermilion

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN COMMERCE AND FINANCE

Minnie B Reeter Albright Decatur.
Fred Thomas Long Decatur

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN DOMESTIC ECONOMY

Mabel Irene Hays Decatur
Arminda Artemesia Jones Greenview.
Bessie Fern Kauffman Stanford
Lucie Bedfor MacWherter Decatur.
Lisle Louise Moran Miller Chicago
Grace Linnell Westfield
Ruby Helen Sundell Kankakee
Helen Margaret Waddell Decatur
Nora Blanche Young Toledo

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN FINE AND APPLIED ARTS

Carolyn Bean Decatur
Bessie Fay Horton (deceased) Garrett.

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN MUSIC

Esther Till Stamets Springfield

ANNUAL EXHIBIT

Held Thursday Afternoon and Evening at University

The annual exhibits of the fine and applied arts the domestic science and domestic art department of the Millikin university opened Thursday afternoon at 1 o clock and will be open also during the evening

The work of the students in the various departments holding the exhibit will be shown and there will be instructors and students on hand to direct and guide visitors through the rooms and corridors where the articles made in the course of the year will be on exhibition

This exhibit each year is one of the features of commencement week and to many visitors this visual demonstration of skill acquired by the students is one of the most interesting events of the week

ALUMNI LUNCHEON.

Those wishing tickets for the Alumni luncheon at Millikin university should call up Miss Ada Lindsay at the conservatory of music

Luncheon will take place in the gymnasium immediately after the commencement exercises It is planned to make it a simple affair and there will be some informal talks by the alumni and by representatives of the graduating class who will be the guest of the Alumni association

Mrs Ralph Mills who is a graduate of the class of 1917 will be among those who will be present

TO CALL 200,000 FOR ARMY JUNE 24

Louisville Ky, May 30—Word has been received from the war department that 200,000 men will be inducted into the military service through the draft, and sent to 21 camps throughout the country during the five-day period beginning June 24.

Stolen Rigs Recovered.

The horse and buggy stolen from Claude Miller of Harristown at the carnival Wednesday night was found in the 1200 block North College street Thursday morning

C W. Fread, 943 North Water street, reported to the police early Thursday morning that his Ford car had been stolen out of his garage. The car was found a few minutes later on Haworth avenue, between Macon and Decatur streets

MEETINGS.

MASONIC

Macon Lodge No 8 A F and A M—Emergent meeting at 2 30 Friday afternoon at William and Water streets for funeral of Robert C Craycroft

Degree staff of Olive Branch Camp No. 218 R N A—Meeting at the hall Friday evening at 6 o'clock sharp for practice.